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STRONG DEFENSE OF BANK LAW

COMMISSIONER YOUNG REPLIES
TO ARTICLE IN JOURNAL OF
POLITICAL ECONOMY.

MERITS OF LAW MADE PLAIN

Success of Oklahoma Guaranteed
Banking Law Should Be Sufficient Recommendation.

In answer to a bitter and untruthful attack on the State Banking Law, published in the Journal of Political Economy and Commented upon in the Review of Reviews, State Bank Commissioner A. M. Young indites the letter printed below.

It is not only a masterful refutation of the slanderous article, but it reflects the spirit of constructive, progressive, young Oklahoma, which challenges blatant error, no difference from what quarter it comes.

Guthrie, Okla., April 14, 1909.
Journal of Political Economy, Chicago, University, Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sir: My attention has been called to an article that recently appeared in your valued journal written by W. C. Webster, and extensively quoted from in the April number of the American Review of Reviews. The statements are so absolutely erroneous and foreign to the facts that I feel that it is my duty as bank commissioner of the state of Oklahoma to correct them.

It is not my purpose to argue the merits or demerits of our guarantee bank law. I feel quite sure that it is your desire to give your intelligent readers the real facts pertaining to all business matters. Taking this view of it, I feel perfectly justified in addressing this letter to you.

Taking the charges in the order in which he mentions them:

First—I beg to say that under our Amended Guaranty Banking bill an assessment of one-fifth of one per cent is to be levied yearly on the average daily deposits of state banks, with a limit any one year not to exceed two per cent, which in my judgment removes the most serious feature of the law. This assessment is to continue until a guaranty fund shall have been created equal to five per cent of the total deposits of the state banks; after which only such assessments will be made as is necessary to keep the guaranty fund growing in proportion to the deposits. If, for any reason the guaranty fund on hand together with the two per cent assessment should prove insufficient to pay the depositors of failed banks, the state banking board is empowered to issue a six per cent interest bearing certificate secured by the two per cent assessment to be made the following year.

Second—it is true that the attorney general of this state rendered an opinion in which he said that the deposits were guaranteed by the state of Oklahoma, but in a limited way. Acting upon this opinion, some few of our banks did advertise as above, but today, so far as I know there is not a state bank in Oklahoma advertising their deposits as being guaranteed by the state. The recent legislature passed a law which says, "No

bank shall be permitted to advertise its deposits as guaranteed by the state of Oklahoma, and any bank or bank officer or employee, who shall advertise their deposits as guaranteed by the state of Oklahoma, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding five hundred dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail for thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the trial court.

Third—He says that the guaranty fund is redeposited in the banks and kept loaned out by them. Fifty per cent of these funds have been invested in state warrants bearing interest at the rate of six per cent, the balance is kept in banks subject to check. The interest on the investments has more than paid the expenses of administering the office of the state banking board, into whose hands these funds are entrusted. Under our present law, seventy-five per cent of the guaranty fund is to be invested in such securities as the state invests her own money, twenty-five per cent to be kept in cash.

Fourth—He states that the Oklahoma law has not closed the door of hope against the reckless and incompetent banker, but has actually opened it much wider than it was before, and that the state today seems to be entering upon an era of "Wild Cat Banking," which if not checked will ultimately result in financial disaster. In this connection I beg to say that no man is permitted to take official control of a bank in this state until he gives reference as to his moral and financial standing as well as his business qualifications. I do not mean to say by this that we haven't any dishonest bankers in Oklahoma, but I do mean to say that our state bankers will compare favorably in this respect with the national bankers in this or any other state. As to Wild Cat Banking, I think that it is only necessary to call your attention to the fact that under the national and Oklahoma state call of February 5 (we make calls on the same days as national), the national banks held 42 per cent reserve, while the state banks held 49.3 per cent, showing the state banks to be financially stronger than the national banks. So far as I have been able to find out, there is not another state in this Union whose banks can show reserve equal to this. If this does not show conservatism in a wonderful degree, it does not show anything.

It has been charged frequently by men who are ignorant of the facts, or who wilfully, knowingly and premeditatedly misrepresent them that the state-bankers of Oklahoma in order to get business were paying exorbitant rates on time deposits. In this connection, I want to add that national banks are converting into state banks almost daily. Examinations show in every instance (except two) that national banks are paying four to seven per cent on time deposits, while under our guaranty law a state bank is not permitted to pay a greater rate of interest than three per cent on deposits where left for a less length of time than six months, and four per cent if left longer. I am pleased to say that the state bankers almost without exception are complying strictly with the ruling of this department in this respect.

Again he says that the mania for starting new banks is not confined to the towns. He says in the little village of Harrah, which has about one hundred and fifty inhabitants, two banks have been established and their total deposits are less than fifteen thousand dollars. I have sworn statements in this office, by the Harrah State bank and the State Bank of Commerce (under call of February 5), showing deposits of about fifty thousand dollars. This is a fair sample of the reckless statements made by Mr. Webster. He further states that men of doubtful character are allowed to organize banks in Oklahoma and states that one of the new banks had been started by a man who had just been released from the state penitentiary. This statement is so absolutely ridiculous and utterly false that it does not deserve notice at my hands and I am quite sure the intelligent readers of your journal will not give it the slightest credit. He openly charges that saloon keepers and disreputable men generally are permitted to go into the banking business in this state. This is another one

of his reckless statements unsupported by facts.

He refers to two state bank failures. There hasn't been a single state bank failure in Oklahoma since this law went into operation and the guaranty fund has never suffered one dollar. He refers to the closing of the International bank of Coalgate and tries to make the public believe that it was done for political purposes. H. H. Smock, the bank commissioner at that time, is as loyal a republican as can be found anywhere. He certainly had no desire to do anything that would aid the democratic party. He closed the bank at Coalgate not because they were insolvent, but because they had violated the law in permitting the president and cashier to use the funds of the bank, notwithstanding he did everything in his power to get them to replace the money and otherwise comply with the law. Under our laws active officials of a bank can neither directly or indirectly use its funds and the officers so using said funds is deemed guilty of larceny. The directors of the bank of Coalgate expressed their thanks and gratitude to the bank commissioner for closing the doors of this bank. It was not a matter of the bank's condition, but purely one of violating the law that caused the commissioner to take such radical steps. I want to say that this will be done in every instance where the bank refuses to comply with this feature of the law.

Again he says that most people overlook the fact that eighty-five to ninety per cent of all bank deposits are created by loans. I am really glad that Mr. Webster made this statement. It will, at least, show the intelligent bankers of America how absolutely ignorant he is of the banking business. Men do not borrow money to keep it on deposit. The records in this office will show that not twenty-five per cent of our deposits are created in this way. I believe that I am justified in saying that what is true in Oklahoma in this respect is true in other states.

I am quite sure that you have no desire to do our fair young state and her great business interest an injustice, and I sincerely hope you will give this letter what wide publicity that you saw proper to give Mr. Webster's, which I regard as the most untruthful and slanderous that has ever been penned against our guaranty law and the state of Oklahoma. Very respectfully,

A. M. YOUNG,
Bank Commissioner.

Base Ball.

Ada Normal team leaves tomorrow for Holdenville for Sunday's game; on their return trip the Bloomers will be on hand for a series of three games. Big crowd expected to accompany the team to Holdenville tomorrow.

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REVOLUTION IS ON IN TURKEY

CONSTANTINOPLE BOMBARDED
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Young Turks Notify Sultan that They Will Preserve the Constitution.

Berlin, April 16.—A special dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger from Ristowatt says that after a monster meeting there the Young Turks telegraphed the Sultan, saying:

"We are marching on Constantinople in order to save the constitution you are trying to abolish."

The Belgrade correspondent of the paper says that the Turkish minister there is reported to have received a dispatch saying that the Pera and Galata quarters of Constantinople, had been bombarded by the Young Turks and 2,000 persons had been killed.

Turkey is at the beginning of her first attempt at popular government. A constitution was granted the country July 24, 1908, by the sultan, and elections for a parliament were held in due course. The new legislature was inaugurated Dec. 17, since when the empire has been under constitutional administration.

The hand of the sultan was forced and he was obliged to give the country a constitution by the Young Turks, who had been particularly active under the leadership of the committee of Union and Progress since 1905.

The granting of the constitution was followed by the dismissal or flight of various members of the hated palace cliques and the installation of officials dictated by the successful insurgents, who still maintained their organization and continued to operate through the committee of Union and Progress.

Since the first day of its success, the course of the committee has been dictatorial and absolute and has aroused a counter-political sentiment which has brought out and crystallized the opposition of the liberals.

Important Events in Turkey.

1288—Ottoman empire founded by Ottoman on the ruins of the old empire of the Seljukian Turks. Othman's rule extended until 1326.

1453—Constantinople captured by the Turks under Mohammed II. Has remained in control of Turkey ever since.

1520—Accession to throne of Solyman the Magnificent. Solyman's reign, until 1566, was brightest period in history of Ottoman empire.

1571—Battle of Lepanto. Selim II, defeated by the Holy League, (Venice, Spain and the pope.) Beginning of the decline of Turkish empire.

1829—Independence of Greece recognized.

1856—Treaty of Paris ends Crimean war.

1876—Abdul Hamid II, the present Sultan, ascends the throne of Turkey. Parliamentary constitution bestowed by the porte upon Ottoman empire. Russo-Turkish war the following year prevented the working out of the constitutional scheme.

1878—Congress of Berlin. Power again save Turkish empire from disintegration following Russo-Turkish war.

1897—Turks victorious in war with Greece following massacres in Armenia and Macedonia the preceding year.

1908—Young Turks victorious in forcing the porte to grant a constitutional form of government for Turkey.

A Countdown Imbrogljo.

As the north bound Frisco passenger train pulled out this morning quite an unusual disturbance occurred on the platform, occasioned by a big burly colored gentleman undertaking to prevent a colored woman from boarding the train. It appears that the man accused the woman of stealing something from him and he had taken the law in his own hands and was endeavoring to prevent her from making a get away. Officers interferred and quashed the disturbance, but the train missed a passenger just the same.

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ARDMORE PRESBYTERY SUCCESSFUL GATHERING

INTERESTING BUSINESS SESSION
WAS HELD YESTERDAY.

Work Finished Today but Several
Ministers Will Remain Over
Sunday.

A large amount of business was transacted at the sessions of the Ardmore Presbytery Friday.

Dr. L. H. Beeler was a welcome visitor. Dr. Beeler is president of Henry Kendall college at Tulsa, and addressed the audience Friday in the interest of that growing institution.

An important feature of the day was the election of representatives from the Ardmore Presbytery to the general assembly in Denver, which convenes in May. Rev. Thomas Carey, pastor of First Presbyterian church at Tishomingo was elected delegate on the part of the ministers and Rev. J. H. Dickerson, of Wynnewood, alternate. On the part of the eldership, Dr. D. B. Looney, of Mill Creek was the chosen delegate and Orville Snead, Ada, alternate.

Friday evening an interesting program was rendered under the auspices of the Home and Foreign Mission committees, Rev. Charles Christensen, of McAlester and Rev. C. C. Weith, of Ardmore, presiding. Among the speakers were, Revs. R. L. Phelps, J. D. Braley and M. F. Cowden, of McAlester.

Services this evening will be a popular meeting held under the auspices of the Presbyterian Brotherhood. This will, however, be an open meeting. Rev. Thomas Carey will preside.

A number of the visitors were compelled to return to their homes today, but several will remain with us over Sunday, and have been invited to fill the pulpits of the various churches in the city.

The following program is arranged for Sunday:

At the First Methodist church, Rev. C. C. Weith, pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Ardmore, will preach at 11 a. m., and Rev. M. F. Cowden, pastor Central Presbyterian church at McAlester, at 8 p. m.

At the Ausbury Methodist church, Rev. R. G. Carnahan, pastor of East side Presbyterian church at Ardmore, will preach at 11 a. m. and Rev. Duncan McRuer, of Pauls Valley, at 8 p. m.

At the Christian church, 8 p. m., Rev. R. L. Phelps, pastor of Presbyterian church Purcell, will fill the pulpit.

At the Presbyterian U. S. A., R. L. Phelps will preach at 11 a. m., and Rev. R. G. Carnahan, 8 p. m.

R. E. Gough was tried in police court this afternoon on a charge of operating a house of ill fame in the city and was found guilty by the court.

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HARTSHORN MOB FIGHTS OFFICERS

UNDERTAKE TO GET POSSESSION
OF MIKE ZANONE.

Prisoner in Custody Had Killed
Mother-in-law and Her Younger
Daughter.

McAlester, Ok., April 16.—An excited mob fought the officers clear on to an interurban car at Hartshorn at 5 o'clock this evening trying to get Mike Zanone in connection with the shooting of his mother-in-law, Mrs. George Voss, and her 17-year-old daughter, Miss Willie.

Zanone left here this afternoon and went to the Voss house at Hartshorne to see his divorced wife and baby. His wife refused to talk to him and went into another room, when, he says, the two women seized him to throw him outdoors and the shooting took place. Both women were killed instantly. Later officers found him and he exchanged shots with them and ran toward a barn. There he was shot behind the ear with a load of bird shot. He then fought hard and was handcuffed and the mob threatening, the trainmen notified the train dispatcher's office and received orders not to go to the end of the line, but to turn back toward McAlester at once. The officers managed to get the man on the car after a hard struggle with the mob.

He is in jail here and his wound dressed. The doctor says he will live. There is still much excitement over the affair both here and at Hartshorne.

The young woman killed would have graduated in June at the Hartshorne High school.

JOHN BULLETTE KILLED.

Unknown Assassin Takes Life of
Prominent Oklahoman at
Claremore.

Claremore, Okla., April 16.—An unknown assassin killed John Bullette in his office in this city at 11 o'clock last night while the latter was busied at his desk. Two shots were fired, one striking him in the neck and the other in the back. After Bullette was shot he arose from his chair and staggered about ten feet and fell dead.

Much mystery surrounds the affair as he was not known to have any enemies and no motive can be given for such a crime. A night policeman saw a man leaving the rear of the building and when the man was called upon to stop he told the officer that he was employed at a pool hall and hurried on, making his escape, although the officer fired at him three times. As soon as the murder was made known the sheriff's force organized a posse and is now scouring the country in an effort to find the assassin.

Bullette was one of the most prominent and widely known Delaware-Cherokee Indians in the eastern part of the state, being a lawyer, capitalist, member of the Cherokee legislature and prominent in the Sequoyah convention. He had extensive holdings in San Antonio, South Coffeyville, Tulsa, Muskogee and Claremore and was rated as one of the wealthiest men of his tribe. He was to have been married in June to Miss Pearl Eddleman of Muskogee, a former employee of the government in the Indian agency service.

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Don Shipmans wife, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Clarence Swope, foreman of the sack room, is off sick.

Fred Cox, of the machine shop, went home sick Friday.

The foundations for the new boilers and dryers are now completed.

Excavation has begun for the piers of the extension tracks at the large crusher.

John Roberts, foreman at the dry room, has gone to White Field, Okla., to visit his family.

Mrs. S. A. Ford, engineer's wife, who has been sick for some time was not so well last night.

Tom Bennett, of the repair gang has a big boy at his house. Tom is one of the proudest employees of the Cement plant.

W. B. Jones, engineer on the switch engine, is off attending court at Sherman. In his absence W. G. Briggs is filling his place.

HAPPY WOMEN.

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A. H. Constant made a business trip to Coalgate today.

Irvin Chamberlain of Roff, was an Ada visitor today.

Dr. Faust left this morning on a business trip to Seminole.

E. E. Matthews has returned from a business trip to Guthrie.

F. L. Norton of Roff, was a business visitor in our city today.

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Mrs. Martin of Mill Creek came in this morning to attend the Presbytery.

Miss Grace Stewart of Tupelo, is the guest of Misses Ruth and Jennie Roddie.

Mrs. E. B. Downing of Weatherford, Okla., was in our city today en route to Roff.

Mrs. Ethel Shannafelt accompanied by Miss Irene Mason went to Atoka this morning.

Miss Gertrude West who has been visiting relatives in Shawnee returned home this morning.

A. S. Eggner and Rev. Paul Crawford returned to Durant today after attending the Presbytery.

Mrs. Campbell of Hickory came in this morning to spend Sunday with her daughter Miss Vada Campbell.

Mrs. Metz who has been the guest of Mrs. C. H. Rives left this morning for her home in Greenville, Tex.

C. E. Daggs, tinner and plumber, North Broadway, phone 279. 272-tf

Mrs. J. R. Thompson left this morning for a six weeks visit with friends and relatives in Charlotte and Chester, N. C.

Mrs. Zeb McKoy who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. G. Broadfoot returned to her home in Stonewall this morning.

Miss Arelene Harbert who has been taking testimony in the Miller murder case, returned to her home in Roff this morning.

Miss Minnie McKain went to Atoka this morning to meet her grandmother, Mrs. M. E. Underwood of Rockwall, Tex., who is coming to Ada for a visit.

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SOCIETY NOTES

Mrs. William Mayes in Compliment to Miss Warren.

With the gladness of Easter-tide to dispel the gloom of Lent, with spring's awakening touch every where there are signs of promise along social ways.

One of the most delightful of these that has been pleasantly anticipated by the young people of Ada, was the "500" party given Friday evening by Mrs. William Mayes, in compliment to Mrs. Geo. Frierson's guest, Miss Warren of Ft. Worth.

The attractive home of the hostess' mother, Mrs. Higgins, looked even more so on this occasion, beautiful spring blossoms and ferns being everywhere in evidence. During the evening bou bons were served by Miss Sallie Fulton, who proved a delightful score-keeper.

After eight spirited games, a tempting two-course luncheon of shrimp salad, cheese straws, olives, coffee, strawberry cream and cake was served.

Then came a very interesting feature of the evening, the awarding of the prizes. The guest of honor prize, a beautiful cut glass vase, was given Miss Warren, and in a cut with Miss Epperson, both having received the same number of games, Miss Warren also received the high score prize, a hand-painted plate. Mr. Johnson made the highest score of the gentlemen and was presented with a handsome cut-glass and silver cigar jar, filled with cigars. He very generously passed them around to his defeated colleagues. Mr. Maddox was awarded the consolation prize.

Mrs. Mays was assisted by Mesdames Conn, Moody, Higgins and Miss Fulton. Those present were: Misses Brown, Katz, Wilson, Epperson, Gwin, Taylor, Cullins, Davies and Warren; Warren, Maddox, Terrell, Epperson, Whiteside, Dr. Saffarans, Eddleman Weaver and Dr. Thompson.

Theater Party.

Mrs. M. L. Sowers entertained the young crowd very pleasantly at her home in Sunrise to a six o'clock dinner last evening, after enjoying the dinner very much, the hostess chaperoned the young ladies to both electric theaters and from there they enjoyed cream at Ramsey's drug store. Those present were: Misses Alma Ingram, Minnie Lue Tinnin, Annie Mae Sims, Mattie Thompson, Fannie J. Allen and Ruth Sowers.

Reception.

One of the most beautiful social events of the season was the reception tendered by Mrs. R. E. Haynes Wednesday afternoon to Mrs. R. E. Haynes, Jr., of Columbia, Tenn., and Miss Nina Thompson.

As the guests arrived, they were graciously received by Mesdames Hardin, LeFevre and Simpson. The halls, parlor and frappe room were decorated in green and white.

Mrs. Haynes, Sr., Mrs. Haynes, Jr., Miss Thompson, Mrs. Carlton Weaver and Mrs. F. W. Chambers received the guests in the parlor. Mrs. Haynes wore a white messaline satin gown. Mrs. Haynes, Jr., was charming in a gown of seafoam brocade satin with point lace and pearl trimmings, her hair being caught by a beautiful diamond sunburst. Miss Thompson was elegantly gowned in a blue silk diretoire with lace trimmings. Mrs. Carlton Weaver wore a handsome and becoming gown of old rose messaline, with real lace trimmings. Mrs. F. W. Chambers wore a dainty gown of white mousline.

The guests were ushered into the dining room by Mrs. Hope and Mrs. Lassater and there received by Mesdames King, Galbraith, McKinley and Beard. The serving table was presided over by Mrs. Duncan and Mrs. Thornton. The dining room was beautifully decorated in pink and white, and the table had an elaborate covering of Cluny lace with magnificent vase of carnations in the center. Clusters of candles added a soft light to the scene. The sandwiches were tied with pink ribbon and the color

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scheme was carried out in pink and white bon bons.

The frappe room was presided over by Mesdames Ehey and Moody. During the reception, Miss Garrett pleased the guests with many beautiful selections from Mendlesohn and others.

The guests of honor, Mrs. Haynes, Jr., and Miss Thompson are admirable brunnette types and Ada society has never done honor to more charming and lovable characters.

The occasion will ever be remembered by Ada society folk and given by them a high place in the list of social functions which have occurred in this city.

The 500 Club.

Tuesday afternoon the "Five Hundred" club met with Mrs. J. T. Conn to discuss the scores made by the different members throughout the year. At the organization of the club last fall it was decided that, after the club met with each of its members the six holding the lowest scores would entertain the other six with a luncheon. It was found that Mesdames Mays, Conn, King, Beck, Tobin and Galbraith would be the ones to entertain. At the close of the discussion Mrs. Conn invited the club members into the dining room where they were served refreshments at a beautifully arranged table.

Morning Party.

Mrs. P. W. Simpson very charmingly entertained Mrs. R. E. Haynes, Sr., Mrs. Haynes, Jr., Miss Nina Thompson, Mrs. F. W. Chambers and Mrs. Carlton Weaver, with Mrs. Haynes' house party of eighteen, Friday morning.

The ever interesting game 42 was played and delightful refreshments served.

Mrs. Foster Simpson, from Konawa was a guest.

Miss Gertrude Thompson Entertains.

On Saturday afternoon last the Bachelor Girls met with Miss Gertrude Thompson and enjoyed a delightful afternoon of 500. In a cut with Mrs. Mooney, Miss Katherine Edmiston won first prize which was a dainty souvenir spoon of Ada. Miss Helen Jones getting the consolation. After the game refreshments were served in two courses. First course consisting of salmon salad, sandwiches, olives, pickles and coffee. Second course, grape juice and cake.

Between the courses Louise and Guy Meaders drew a small express wagon, through the parlor into the dining room, filled with the articles of a miscellaneous shower for Miss Nina Thompson. Toasts to the bride (and matrimony) were given by Mrs. Chas. Thompson and Miss McGee. All enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon.

Those present were Misses Nina Thompson, Gwin, Taylor, Jones, Cullins, Torbett, McGee, Katz, Garrett, Poor, Edmiston, Houser, Mesdames, Mays, Yeager, Mooney, Chapman and C. Thompson.

42 Party.

Mrs. Carlton Weaver's pretty home in Capitol Hill was open to a number of friends Friday afternoon in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. E. Haynes, Jr.

The rooms were effectively decorated with pink carnations. After six tables had enjoyed a number of games at 42, the guests were refreshed with cream and cake.

Mrs. Weaver was assisted by Mrs. Haynes, Sr., Mrs. F. W. Chambers and Mrs. Arthur Blanks.

With Mr. and Mrs. Ehey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ehey entertained the 42 club Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Haynes, Jr., being guests of honor.

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A dainty two-course menu was served.

The regular club attendance was augmented by the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Weaver, Mr. Mauplin Timberlake and Miss Stovall.

Mrs. James Wintersmith is entertaining this afternoon in compliment to her sister, Mrs. Chas. Long of Louisville, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Chambers will serve six o'clock dinner this evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Haynes, Jr.

Our Cousin.

Miss Mollie Jernigan and the Weaver boys' cousin over in Tennessee is going to get married so reports the Nashville press.

"HARWOOD-BARRY."

"Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barry are issuing invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Leone, to Mr. Richard H. Harwood of Pulaski, Tenn. The wedding will be solemnized in Springfield on the evening of Wednesday, May 12. Rev. W. B. Lowery will be the officiant.

"This announcement will be of interest to the many friends of the bride-elect in Nashville, where she is a social favorite. Mr. Harwood is also well known both to the social and business world, being a member of a leading wholesale firm in Pulaski. Further plans for the wedding will be announced later."—Nashville Banner.

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FLOUR STILL SOARING.

Indications Are Now That Price Will Continue to Creep up Higher.

Chicago, Ill., April 16.—Rise in the price of flour until the mills in America are selling spring wheat flour at \$7 a barrel, or \$1.30 more than a year ago, is brought to light as one of the effects of the present condition of the wheat market and the country's supply of the cereal, according to the Chicago managers of the Washburn-Crosby Company, the Northwestern Consolidated Milling company, which operate what are declared the largest mills in the United States and practically fix the price of flour. There is no relief in sight from present conditions, and every indication is that the price of flour will continue to soar and may go to \$10 a barrel.

A Bump for Emma.

Emma Goldman, in referring to some of her precious fellow anarchists, says: "It is not for us to condemn those whose psychology leads them to use violence in the furtherance of human liberty." Maybe not. But it is for us to let our psychology lead us to put them in jail so as to shut off the activities of their psychology.—McAlester News

Channey Grand Secretary.

There is evidence of the heartiest gratification among the Odd Fellows of this city that worthy member, Mr. C. M. Channey has been elected secretary of the grand lodge. The great Ada Odd Fellows lodge is particularly prosperous in Oklahoma and the acquisition of a secretaryship of the grand lodge, its most important office, affords a position both highly honorable and substantial.

The News felicitates Mr. Channey on the very nice honor which has been accorded him. The grand lodge has selected a member for secretary who is splendidly equipped for the position for it is known that Mr. Channey loves the I. O. O. F. and is well grounded in its pure and immortal teachings which is profoundly relative to the precepts of the organization, which together with his well known business adeptness and clerical ability affords guarantee that he will make good.

Mr. Channey has leased for the grand lodge officers three rooms over Freeman's. The duties of the secretaryship will require practically his entire time. The duties of the position are sufficiently onerous, that a clerk is required lots of the time, for all of which the grand lodge awards liberal compensation.

OKLAHOMA-ARKANSAS DEBATE.

Intercollegiate Debate to Be Held at Norman This Month.

Norman, Okla., April 16.—The inter-collegiate debate between Arkansas and Oklahoma universities will be held in Norman on the 24th of April, the night of the interscholastic track and field meet. The question is "Resolved, that the federal government should have complete and entire control over the education of the negro." The constitutionality of the question is waived. Oklahoma has the negative.

C. R. Eckes and Gray represent Oklahoma university, and as yet the names of the Arkansas debaters have not been received, although they have been chosen.

District Farmers Union.

A meeting of the District Farmers' Union is being held at the court house today for the purpose of transacting some local business. A good number of the members are in attendance, most of whom are very jubilant over the present outlook for good crop conditions in this country the coming season.

The membership of the union is on the increase, and a notable evidence of enthusiasm can be observed. The union is attracting to its organization a more stable class of farmers than have heretofore participated in the movement, and it bids fair to maintain a healthful and permanent organization in this country in the future.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Commencing Monday, April 19th, we will run our business on a strictly cash basis, but prices will be the same as last year providing you buy coupon books. Business books at 40c per 100 lbs., size of books 1000 and 3000 lbs. Residence books 60 per 100 lbs. You can get them 200, 300 and 500. All books will be sold by the drivers. They are charged out to them. All ice sold from the wagons for cash is 80c per 100 lbs. Please do not ask the drivers for credit, as they are responsible and any uncollected bills that they may make will be charge dup to them personally. Ice sold at plant 50c per 100 lbs.

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Miss Etter Improved.

The News is gratified to chronicle the improvement of Mrs. F. J. Etter who has been imminently ill for some time. Capt. Etter, when inquiry was made stated that the physicians regarded his wife out of danger, unless unlooked for complications should arise.

Rev. J. C. Stalcup a leading state Baptist minister who is Mrs. Etter's brother and Walter Etter and wife of Frederick are at the Etter home.

Just received new Oxfords in all leathers new hose in all colors. Pink, blue, ox blood, white and black. Price 10c to 50c a pair at the Grand Leader.

J. H. Young from Cooper, Tex., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Misso at Roff, and son Claud Young at Fitzhugh. He intimated that he would at an early date, move to our good country.

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Jube, the Nigger Jim Fontleroy
Win-Kye, the Funny Chinaman Otie Davidson
Widow Merton Miss Mary Kate Baker
Agnes Fairlee, Dick's Sister Miss Grace McGee
"MOSELLE," the Waif Miss Durell Collins

SYNOPSIS OF PLAY

ACT I—Scene in Sierra Nevada Mountains. Mosselle returns from school accompanied by her friend, Agnes Fairlee. Tom's love at first sight. The detective in search of his man. "Perhaps 'tis Nevada." Who calls Nevada the "Gold King." Tom's mistake. "No, no, daddy, my heart is breaking."

ACT II—Scene—Interior of Vermont's cabin. Dick in custody. "Why did he do this?" "Because he loved you." "I was in the way." What! Run off with my own sister?" "Don't shoot—I'm your dad."

ACT III—Scene same as first. "Oh, daddy, don't let them take Dick to prison!" Tom finds the mine. "Dick, you are free." Nevada is restored to reason and his lost child. "The jewel of my lost mine."

SPECIALTIES

1. Song—When My Dolly Grows to Be a Lady—Violet Moore, (Song and Chorus.)
2. The Bow Bearers of Chief Red Cloud—Leona Chauncey, Corine Katz, Will Tom Truitt, Ruby Eaton.
3. The Soldiers and the Red Cross Nurse—Pauline Jones and Fred Fontleroy.
4. Redwing (Illustrated)—Leona Chauncey and Jim Fontleroy.

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Church Directory

Asbury Methodist Church.

Services first and third Sunday mornings at 11 and Sunday evening, also fourth Sunday evening of each month.

Sunday school every Sunday 9:45 a. m., W. L. Roddie, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00.

Junior League meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 7:00.

Woman's Home Missionary Society meets first and third Wednesday of each month.

First Presbyterian Church.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. T. Higgins, superintendent.

Presbyterian Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 8:00. J. D. White, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45, Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

First Baptist Church.

No pastor at present. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Sunday school 9:45 a. m., W. U. Duncan, superintendent. B. Y. P. U. Sunday afternoon at 6:30.

Christian Church

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. C. E. Smoot, pastor.

Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent.

Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. first Thursday in each month. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00.

The Christian Endeavor Society meets at 2 p. m.

First Methodist Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor.

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. T. F. Pierce, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 7:00. Intermediate and Junior Leagues meet Sunday afternoon.

Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, except 3rd Monday. Foreign Mission Society meets every 3rd Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Teachers meeting every Tuesday evening at 8:00.

North Ada Baptist Church.

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45, A. N. Harrison, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Ladies Aid Society meets every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

PRISCO.

Eastbound.

No. 508 due 9:15 a. m.

No. 510 due 4:10 p. m.

Westbound.

No. 509 due 8:10 a. m.

No. 507 due 9:00 p. m.

W. K. & T.

Southbound.

No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.

Northbound.

No. 112 due 4:05 p. m.

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.

Westbound.

No. 3 due 10:32 a. m.

Eastbound.

No. 2 due 4:07 p. m.

LODGE DIRECTORY.

W. O. W.

Ada Camp, No. 568, Woodmen of the World, meets every 1st and 3rd Monday nights at I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting Woodmen are always welcome.

Ada Aerie, No. 1746.

Meets every Wednesday evening in hall on South Townsend.

I. O. O. F.

Ada lodge No. 82, I. O. O. F. meets every Thursday evening. A. T. Denton, N. G.; C. M. Chauncey, secretary.

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Martha—Mrs. Duncan.
Wm. Penn—Mr. McKeown.
Queen of City—Miss Wilson.
Dixie—Mrs. J. D. A. Harris.
Uncle Sam—Mr. Geo. Cox.
Columbia—Miss Thompson.
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Assisted by leading business firms of city, 50 Faries, 40 Brownies, 18 Indians, 8 in party of Columbus landing, Wm. Penn and Puritans, 20; Caisenic Class 20, Newsboys 13, Floral Drill 24, 30 Leading Characters, Soldiers in Gray and Blue, Drill by Ladies of W. O. W., Solos and Choruses, Drills, Tableau, with angels. Pantomimes in front with full Orchestra. This is a beautiful entertainment of high grade, every one should come out to see and help the cause as it is a worthy one.

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April 22

STRONG DEFENSE OF BANK LAW

COMMISSIONER YOUNG REPLIES TO ARTICLE IN JOURNAL OF POLITICAL ECONOMY.

MERITS OF LAW MADE PLAIN

Success of Oklahoma Guaranteed Banking Law Should Be Sufficient Recommendation.

In answer to a bitter and untruthful attack on the State Banking Law published in the Journal of Political Economy and commented upon in the Review of Reviews State Bank Commissioner A. M. Young indites the letter printed below.

It is not only a masterful refutation of the slanderous article but it reflects the spirit of constructive progressive young Oklahoma which challenges blatant error no difference from what quarter it comes.

Gambier Okla. April 11 1909 Journal of Political Economy Chicago

Dear Sir: My attention has been called to an article that recently appeared in your valued journal written by W. C. Webster and extensively quoted from in the April number of the American Review of Reviews. The statements are so absolutely erroneous and foreign to the facts that I feel that it is my duty as bank commissioner of the state of Oklahoma to correct them.

It is not my purpose to argue the merits or demerits of our guarantee bank law. I feel quite sure that it is your desire to give your intelligent readers the real facts pertaining to all business matters. Taking this view of it I feel perfectly justified in addressing this letter to you.

Taking the charges in the order in which he mentions them.

First—I beg to say that under our Amended Guaranty Banking bill an assessment of one fifth of one percent is to be levied yearly on the average daily deposits of state banks with a limit of \$100,000.00 of to exceed two per cent which in my judgment removes the most serious feature of the law. This assessment is to continue until a guaranty fund shall have been raised equal to five per cent of the total deposits of the state banks after which only such assessments will be made as is necessary to keep the guaranty fund growing in proportion to the deposits. If for any reason the guaranty fund on hand together with the two per cent assessment should prove insufficient to pay the depositors of failed banks the state banking board as empowered to issue a six per cent interest bearing certificate secured by the two per cent assessment to be made the following year.

Second—it is true that the attorney general of this state rendered an opinion in which he said that the deposits were guaranteed by the state of Oklahoma but in a limited way. Acting upon this opinion some few of our banks did advertise as above but today so far as I know there is not a state bank in Oklahoma advertising their deposits as being guaranteed by the state. The recent legislature passed a law which says: No

bank shall be permitted to advertise its deposits as guaranteed by the state of Oklahoma and any bank or bank officer or employee who shall advertise their deposits as guaranteed by the state of Oklahoma shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding five hundred dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail for thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the trial court.

Third—He says that the guaranty fund is deposited in the banks and kept loaned out by them. Fifty per cent of these funds have been invested in state warrants bearing interest at the rate of six per cent the balance is kept in banks subject to check. The interest on the investments has more than paid the expenses of administering the fund of the state banking board into whose hands these funds are entrusted. Under our present law seventy-five per cent of the guaranty fund is to be invested in such securities as the state invests her own money twenty-five per cent to be kept in cash.

Fourth—He states that the Oklahoma law has not closed the door of hope against the reckless and incompetent banker but has actually opened it much wider than it was before and that the state today seems to be entering upon an era of Wild Cat Banking which it not checked will ultimately result in financial disaster. In this connection I beg to say that no man is permitted to take of fiscal control of a bank in this state until he gives reference as to his moral and financial standing as well as his business qualifications. I do not mean to say by this that we haven't any dishonest bankers in Oklahoma, but I do mean to say that our state bankers will compare favorably in this respect with the national bankers in this or any other state. As to Wild Cat Banking I think that it is only necessary to call your attention to the fact that under the national and Oklahoma state call of February 5 (we make calls on the same days as national) the national banks held 42 per cent reserve while the state banks held 49.3 per cent showing the state banks to be financially stronger than the national banks. So far as I have been able to find out there is not another state in this Union whose banks can show a reserve equal to this. If this does not show conservatism in a wonderful degree it does not show anything.

It has been charged frequently by men who are ignorant of the facts or who wilfully knowingly and premeditatedly misrepresent them that the state bankers of Oklahoma in order to get business were paying exorbitant rates on time deposits. In this connection I want to add that national banks are converting into state banks almost daily. Examinations show in every instance (except two) that national banks are paying four to seven per cent on time deposits while under our guaranty law a state bank is not permitted to pay a greater rate of interest than three per cent on deposits where left for a less length of time than six months and four per cent if left longer. I am pleased to say that the state bankers almost without exception are complying strictly with the ruling of this department in this respect.

Again he says that the man for stating new banks is not confined to the towns. He says in the little village of Harrah which has about one hundred and fifty inhabitants two banks have been established and then told deposits are less than fifteen thousand dollars. I have sworn statements in this office by the Harrah State bank and the State Bank of Commerce (under call of February 5) showing deposits of thirty fifty thousand dollars. This is a fair sample of the reckless statements made by Mr. Webster. He further says that men of doubtful character are allowed to organize banks in Oklahoma and states that one of the new banks had been started by a man who had just been released from the state penitentiary. This statement is so absolutely ridiculous and utterly false that it does not deserve notice at my hands and I am quite sure the intelligent readers of your journal will not give it the slightest credit. He openly charges that saloon keepers and disreputable men generally are permitted to go into the banking business in this state. This is another one

of his reckless statements unsupported by facts.

He refers to two state bank failures. There hasn't been a single state bank failure in Oklahoma since this law went into operation and the guaranty fund has never suffered one dollar. He refers to the closing of the International bank of Coalgate and tries to make the public believe that it was done for political purposes. If H. H. Smock the bank commissioner at that time is as loyal a republican as can be found anywhere. He certainly had no desire to do anything that would aid the democratic party. He closed the bank at Coalgate not because they were insolvent but because they had violated the law in permitting the president and cashier to use the funds of the bank notwithstanding he did everything in his power to get them to replace the money and otherwise comply with the law. Under our laws active officials of a bank can neither directly or indirectly use its funds and the officers so using said funds is deemed guilty of larceny. The directors of the bank of Coalgate expressed their thanks and gratitude to the bank commissioner for closing the doors of this bank. It was not a matter of the bank's condition but purely one of violating the law that caused the commissioner to take such radical steps. I want to say that this will be done in every instance where the bank refuses to comply with this feature of the law.

Again he says that most people overlook the fact that eighty-five to ninety per cent of all bank deposits are created by loans. I am really glad that Mr. Webster made this statement. It will, at least show the intelligent bankers of America how absolutely ignorant he is of the banking business. Men do not borrow money to keep it on deposit. The records in this office will show that not twenty-five per cent of our deposits are created in this way. I believe that I am justified in saying that what is true in Oklahoma in this respect is true in other states.

I am quite sure that you have no desire to do our fair young state and her great business interest an injustice and I sincerely hope you will give this letter what wide publicity that you can proper to give Mr. Webster's which I regard as the most untruthful and slanderous thing ever been printed against our guaranty law and the state of Oklahoma. Very respectfully

A. M. YOUNG
Bank Commissioner

Base Ball

Ada Normal team leaves tomorrow for Holdenville for Sunday's game on their return trip the Bloomers will be on hand for a series of three games. Big crowd expected to accompany the team to Holdenville to morrow.

Fresh Candies

We have just received a fresh supply of the following candies:

- Vassar Supreme Chocolates 85c Lb. Box
- Ramers Fine Chocolates 75c Lb. Box
- King's Chocolates and Bonbons 75c Lb. Box
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- Hershey's Milk Chocolates 5 and 10c Packages
- Ble Bitter Sweet Chocolate 5c Package
- Chocolate Nougat 5c
- Turkish Nougat Bar 5c
- Marshmallows 10c Box
- Swissettes 10c Box
- Knut Butter Candy 5 and 10c Bags
- Hand Puffed Butter Scotch 5 and 10c
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- Chewing Gum of all kinds 5c

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REVOLUTION IS ON IN TURKEY

CONSTANTINOPLE BOMBARDED AND 2,000 ARE KILLED.

ARMENIANS ARE SLAUGHTERED

Young Turks Notify Sultan that They Will Preserve the Constitution

Berlin April 16—A special dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger from Ristow says that after a monster meeting there the Young Turks telegraphed the Sultan saying:

We are marching on Constantinople in order to save the constitution you are trying to abolish.

The Belgrade correspondent of the paper says that the Turkish minister there is reported to have received a dispatch saying that the Pera and Galata quarters of Constantinople had been bombarded by the Young Turks and 2,000 persons had been killed.

Turkey is at the beginning of her first attempt at popular government. A constitution was granted the country July 24 1908 by the Sultan and elections for a parliament were held in due course. The new legislature was inaugurated Dec 17 since when the empire has been under constitutional administration.

The hand of the Sultan was forced and he was obliged to give the country a constitution by the Young Turks who had been particularly active under the leadership of the committee of Union and Progress since 1905.

The granting of the constitution was followed by the dismissal or flight of various members of the hated palace cliques and the installation of officials dictated by the successful insurgents who still maintained their organization and continued to operate through the committee of Union and Progress.

Since the first day of its success the course of the committee has been dictatorial and absolute and has aroused a counter political sentiment which has brought out and crystallized the opposition of the liberals.

Important Events in Turkey.
1288—Ottoman empire founded by Osman on the ruins of the old empire of the Seljuk Turks. Orhan's rule extended until 1326.

1453—Constantinople captured by the Turks under Mohammed II. It remained in control of Turkey ever since.

1520—Accession to throne of Solyman the Magnificent. Solyman's reign until 1566 was brightest period in history of Ottoman empire.

1571—Battle of Lepanto. Selim II defeated by the Holy League (Venice Spain and the pope.) Beginning of the decline of Turkish empire.

1829—Independence of Greece recognized.

1856—Treaty of Paris ends Crimean war.

1876—Abdul Hamid II the present Sultan ascends the throne of Turkey. Parliamentary constitution bestowed by the Porte upon Ottoman empire. Russo Turkish war the following year prevented the working out of the constitutional scheme.

1878—Congress of Berlin. Power again gave Turkish empire from its integration following Russo Turkish war.

1897—Turks victorious in war with Greece following massacres in Armenia and Macedonia the preceding year.

1908—Young Turks victorious in forcing the Porte to grant a constitutional form of government for Turkey.

A Constantinian Ambrogio.

As the north bound Union passenger train pulled out this morning quite an unusual disturbance occurred on the platform occasioned by a big dark colored gentleman undertaking to prevent a colored woman from boarding the train. It appears that the man seized the woman of stealing something from him and he had taken the law in his own hands and was endeavoring to prevent her from making a getaway. Officers intervened and quashed the disturbance but the train missed a passenger just the same.

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ARDMORE PRESBYTERY SUCCESSFUL GATHERING

INTERESTING BUSINESS SESSION
WAS HELD YESTERDAY.

Work Finished Today but Several
Ministers Will Remain Over
Sunday.

A large amount of business was transacted at the sessions of the Ardmore Presbytery Friday.

Dr. L. H. Beeler was a welcome visitor. Dr. Beeler is president of Henry Kendall college at Tulsa, and addressed the audience Friday in the interest of that growing institution.

An important feature of the day was the election of representatives from the Ardmore Presbytery to the general assembly in Denver, which convenes in May. Rev. Thomas Carey, pastor of First Presbyterian church at Tishomingo was elected delegate on the part of the ministers and Rev. J. H. Dickerson, of Wynnewood, alternate. On the part of the eldership, Dr. D. B. Looney, of Mill Creek was the chosen delegate and Orville Sneed, Ada, alternate.

Friday evening an interesting program was rendered under the auspices of the Home and Foreign Mission committees. Rev. Charles Christensen, of McAlester and Rev. C. C. Weith, of Ardmore, presiding. Among the speakers were, Revs. R. L. Phelps, J. D. Braley and M. F. Cowden, of McAlester.

Services this evening will be a popular meeting held under the auspices of the Presbyterians Brotherhood. This will, however, be an open meeting. Rev. Thomas Carey will preside.

A number of the visitors were compelled to return to their homes today but several will remain with us over Sunday, and have been invited to fill the pulpits of the various churches in the city.

The following program is arranged for Sunday:

At the First Methodist church, Rev. C. C. Weith, pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Ardmore, will preach at 11 a. m., and Rev. M. F. Cowden, pastor Central Presbyterian church at McAlester, at 8 p. m.

At the Ansbury Methodist church, Rev. R. G. Carnahan, pastor of East side Presbyterian church at Ardmore, will preach at 11 a. m. and Rev. Duncan McRuer, of Pauls Valley, at 8 p. m.

At the Christian church, 8 p. m., Rev. R. L. Phelps, pastor of Presbyterian church Purcell, will fill the pulpit.

At the Presbyterian U. S. A., R. L. Phelps will preach at 11 a. m., and Rev. R. G. Carnahan, 8 p. m.

R. E. Gough was tried in police court this afternoon on a charge of operating a house of ill fame in the city and was found guilty by the court.

Try a News "Want Ad."

A BIG DEAL.

L. E. Patterson, Well Known in Ada
Makes Big Realty Deal.

Oklahoma City, April 17.—One of the largest real estate deals of the year was recently closed by the Putnam company, wherein L. E. Patterson sold his interest in the Putnam lands in the northwest portion of Oklahoma City, including all unsold lots in Putnam Heights, Lakeside and other lands which are now resident additions to Oklahoma City. The name of the purchaser is now withheld at his request, but he is said to be one of Oklahoma's most prominent capitalists, now living in another part of the state, but will likely take up a residence in Oklahoma City. The consideration paid for this property is not now given, but it is stated its value is considerably above \$100,000.

Speaking of the transaction to a reporter last night, Mr. Patterson said:

"I am closing out my active real estate holdings in order to give my entire attention to the traction work in which I am now and will be engaged, especially that which is in the developing stage, requiring active and constant attention. I regard the property I have sold as one of the choicest residence sections in or adjoining the city and will soon be a high-class residence district."

Mr. Patterson is a former resident of Ada, as well as a property holder here and director of the Oklahoma State Bank.

Nevada Tuesday Night.

What promises to be one of the leading local attractions of the season, in the way of entertainment is the local talent play, Nevada, which will be given at the Air dome next Tuesday night under the auspices of the Women's clubs of the city. Funds which accrue from the entertainment will be used to defray expenses of the district meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs, which will be held in Ada May 11 and 12.

The play is an excellent production and the characters are all well up on their parts, and those who attend will not regret having done so. Let everybody turn out and help the ladies.

Country Life Commission.

Guthrie, Ok., April 16.—Superintendent Cameron is securing assistance for the Oklahoma Country Life Commission meeting, which is to be held here May 5 and 6, from the National association for country life appointed by President Roosevelt. Norval D. Kemp of Dayton, Ohio, has written that he will probably be in attendance and suggests that Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture, William Jennings Bryan, Mr. Plashot of the United States Forestry service and J. Horace McFarland, president of the American Civic Association of Harrisburg, Pa., would attend and make speeches.

HARTSHORN MOB FIGHTS OFFICERS

UNDERTAKE TO GET POSSESSION
OF MIKE ZANONE.

Prisoner in Custody Had Killed
Mother-in-law and Her Younger
Daughter.

McAlester, Ok., April 16.—An excited mob fought the officers clear on to an interurban car at Hartshorn at 5 o'clock this evening trying to get Mike Zanone in connection with the shooting of his mother-in-law, Mrs. George Voss, and her 17-year-old daughter, Miss Willie.

Zanone left here this afternoon and went to the Voss house at Hartshorn to see his divorced wife and baby. His wife refused to talk to him and went into another room, when, he says, the two women seized him to throw him outdoors and the shooting took place. Both women were killed instantly. Later officers found him and he exchanged shots with them and ran toward a barn. There he was shot behind the ear with a load of bird shot. He then fought hard and was handcuffed and the mob threatening, the trainmen notified the train dispatcher's office and received orders not to go to the end of the line, but to turn back toward McAlester at once. The officers managed to get the man on the car after a hard struggle with the mob.

He is in jail here and his wound dressed. The doctor says he will live. There is still much excitement over the affair both here and at Hartshorn.

The young woman killed would have graduated in June at the Hartshorn High school.

JOHN BULLETTE KILLED.

Unknown Assassin Takes Life of
Prominent Oklahoman at
Claremore.

Claremore, Okla., April 16.—An unknown assassin killed John Bullette in his office in this city at 11 o'clock last night while the latter was busied at his desk. Two shots were fired, one striking him in the neck and the other in the back. After Bullette was shot he arose from his chair and staggered about ten feet and fell dead.

Much mystery surrounds the affair as he was not known to have any enemies and no motive can be given for such a crime. A night policeman saw a man leaving the rear of the building and when the man was called upon to stop he told the officer that he was employed at a pool hall and hurried on, making his escape, although the officer fired at him three times. As soon as the murder was made known the sheriff's force organized a posse and is now scouring the country in an effort to find the assassin.

Bullette was one of the most prominent and widely known Delaware-Cherokee Indians in the eastern part of the state, being a lawyer, capitalist, member of the Cherokee legislature and prominent in the Sequoyah convention. He had extensive holdings in San Antonio, South Coffeyville, Tulsa, Muskogee and Claremore and was rated as one of the wealthiest men of his tribe. He was to have been married in June to Miss Pearl Eddleman of Muskogee, a former employee of the government in the Indian agency service.

COMFORTING WORDS

Many an Ada Household Will Find
Them So.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed; to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. To tell how this great change can be brought about will prove comforting words to hundreds of Ada readers.

E. M. Allen, carpenter, Tenth St. Holdenville, Okla., says: "I do not know how to express my gratitude to Doan's Kidney Pills for the relief they have given me. Up to a few months ago I suffered to quite an extent from weak kidneys. My joints became so lame that I could hardly move about and often I woke at night finding myself in such a stiffened condition that I had to have assistance to turn. There was a dull, heavy ache directly over my kidneys and also rheumatic twinges which darted through my body. The kidney secretions passed with a scalding sensation and were very unnatural. After other kidney remedies had failed to have any effect upon my case, Doan's Kidney Pills came to my aid. The first few doses relieved me and a short continued use brought about a complete cure."

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ITS EMPLOYEES AND
THEIR FAMILIES.

Pay day Monday.
The large stacks are taking on a new coat of paint.

Don Shipman's wife, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Clarence Swope, foreman of the sack room, is off sick.

Fred Cox, of the machine shop, went home sick Friday.

The foundations for the new boilers and dryers are now completed.

Excavation has begun for the piers of the extension tracks at the large crusher.

John Roberts, foreman at the dry room, has gone to White Field, Okla., to visit his family.

Mrs. S. A. Ford, engineer's wife, who has been sick for some time was not so well last night.

Tom Bennett, of the repair gang has a big boy at his house. Tom is one of the proudest employees of the Cement plant.

W. B. Jones, engineer on the switch engine, is off attending court at Sherman. In his absence W. G. Briggs is filling his place.

HAPPY WOMEN.

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Reason for It.

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Mrs. M. S. Kyser, 502 W. Main St., Ada, Okla., says:

"Last summer I suffered a great deal from a dull, heavy ache through my back and hips. I thought it was due to a cold settling on my kidneys and that it would soon disappear. Finally the pains became intense and other symptoms of kidney trouble developed. I at length decided to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial, and procured a box at G. M. Ramsey's drug store. After taking a few doses the trouble began to disappear and I continued using the remedy until every symptom was entirely removed. I am glad to state I have had no return of kidney complaint since."

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Irvn Chamberlain of Roff was an Ada visitor today

Dr. Faust left this morning on a business trip to Seminole

E. E. Matthews has returned from a business trip to Guthrie

F. L. Norton of Roff was a business visitor in our city today

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Miss Martin of Mill Creek came in this morning to attend the Presbyterians

Miss Grace Stewart of Tapelo, is the guest of Misses Ruth and Jennie Roddie

Mrs. E. B. Downing of Weatherford Okla. was in our city today en route to Roff

Mrs. Ethel Shannatelt accompanied by Miss Irene Mason went to Atoka this morning

Miss Gertrude West who has been visiting relatives in Shawnee returned home this morning

A. S. Egner and Rev. Paul Crawford returned to Durant today after attending the Presbyterians.

Mrs. Campbell of Hickory came in this morning to spend Sunday with her daughter Miss Vada Campbell.

Mrs. Metz who has been the guest of Mrs. C. H. Rives left this morning for her home in Greenville, Tex.

C. E. Daggs, tinner and plumber, North Broadway, phone 279. 272-df

Mrs. J. R. Thompson left this morning for a six weeks visit with friends and relatives in Charlotte and Chester, N. C.

Mrs. Zeb McKoy who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. G. Broadfoot returned to her home in Stonewall this morning

Miss Arelene Harbert who has been taking testimony in the Miller murder case, returned to her home in Roff this morning

Miss Minnie McKahn went to Atoka this morning to meet her grandmother, Mrs. M. E. Underwood of Rockwall, Tex. who is coming to Ada for a visit

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SOCIETY NOTES

Mrs. William Mayes in Compliment to Miss Warren.

With the gladness of Easter-day to dispel the gloom of Lent, with spring's awakening touch every where there are signs of promise along social ways

One of the most delightful of these that has been pleasantly anticipated by the young people of Ada, was the "500" party given Friday evening by Mrs. William Mayes, in compliment to Miss Geo. Frierson's guest, Miss Warren of Ft. Worth.

The attractive home of the hostess' mother, Mrs. Higgins, looked even more so on this occasion, beautiful spring blossoms and ferns being everywhere in evidence. During the evening bon bons were served by Miss Sallie Fulton, who proved a delightful score-keeper.

After eight spirited games, a tempting two-course luncheon of shrimp salad, cheese straws, olives, coffee, strawberry cream and cake was served

Then came a very interesting feature of the evening, the awarding of the prizes. The guest of honor prize a beautiful cut glass vase was given Miss Warren, and in a cut with Miss Epperson both having received the same number of games, Miss Warren also received the high score prize, a hand-painted plate. Mr. Johnson made the highest score of the gentlemen and was presented with a handsome cut-glass and silver cigar jar, filled with cigars. He very generously passed them around to his defeated colleagues. Mr. Maddox was awarded the consolation prize.

Mrs. Mayes was assisted by Mesdames Conn, Moody, Higgins and Miss Fulton. Those present were: Misses Brown, Katz, Wilson, Epperson, Gwin, Taylor, Cullins, Davies and Warren; Warren, Maddox, Terrell, Epperson, Whiteside, Dr. Saffarans, Edleman Weaver and Dr. Thompson

Theater Party.

Mrs. M. L. Sowers entertained the young crowd very pleasantly at her home in Sunrise to a six o'clock dinner last evening, after enjoying the dinner very much, the hostess chaperoned the young ladies to both electric theaters and from there they enjoyed cream at Ramsey's drug store. Those present were: Misses Alma Ingram, Minnie Lue Tinnin, Annie Mae Sims, Mattie Thompson, Fannie J. Allen and Ruth Sowers.

Reception.

One of the most beautiful social events of the season was the reception tendered by Mrs. R. E. Haynes Wednesday afternoon to Mrs. R. E. Haynes, Jr., of Columbia Tenn. and Miss Nina Thompson

As the guests arrived, they were graciously received by Mesdames Hardin, LeFevre and Simpson. The halls, parlor and frappe room were decorated in green and white.

Mrs. Haynes, Sr., Mrs. Haynes, Jr., Miss Thompson, Mrs. Carlton Weaver and Mrs. F. W. Chambers received the guests in the parlor. Mrs. Haynes wore a white messaline satin gown. Mrs. Haynes, Jr., was charming in a gown of seaford brocade satin with point lace and pearl trimmings, her hair being caught by a beautiful diamond sunburst. Miss Thompson was elegantly gowned in a blue silk dress with lace trimmings. Mrs. Carlton Weaver wore a handsome and becoming gown of old rose messaline, with real lace trimmings. Mrs. F. W. Chambers wore a dainty gown of white mousline.

The guests were ushered into the dining room by Mrs. Hope and Mrs. Lassater and there received by Mesdames King, Galbraith, McKinley and Beard. The serving table was presided over by Mrs. Duncan and Mrs. Thornton. The dining room was beautifully decorated in pink and white, and the table had an elaborate covering of Chiny lace with magnificent vase of carnations in the center. Clusters of candles added a soft light to the scene. The sandwiches were tied with pink ribbon and the color

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The frappe room was presided over by Mesdames Ebey and Moody. During the reception, Miss Garrett pleased the guests with many beautiful selections from Mendelssohn and others.

The guests of honor, Mrs. Haynes, Jr., and Miss Thompson are admirable brunette types and Ada society has never done honor to more charming and lovable characters.

The occasion will ever be remembered by Ada society folk and given by them a high place in the list of social functions which have occurred in this city

The 500 Club.

Tuesday afternoon the "Five Hundred" club met with Mrs. J. T. Conn to discuss the scores made by the different members throughout the year.

At the organization of the club last fall it was decided that, after the club met with each of its members the six holding the lowest scores would entertain the other six with a luncheon. It was found that Mesdames Mays, Conn, King, Beck, Tobin and Galbraith would be the ones to entertain. At the close of the discussion Mrs. Conn invited the club members into the dining room where they were served refreshments at a beautifully arranged table.

Morning Party.

Mrs. F. W. Simpson very charmingly entertained Mrs. R. E. Haynes, Sr., Mrs. Haynes, Jr., Miss Nina Thompson, Mrs. F. W. Chambers and Mrs. Carlton Weaver with Mrs. Haynes' house party of eighteen, Friday morning.

The ever interesting game 42 was played and delightful refreshments served

Mrs. Foster Simpson, from Konawa was a guest.

Miss Gertrude Thompson Entertains.

On Saturday afternoon last the Bachelor Girls met with Miss Gertrude Thompson and enjoyed a delightful afternoon of 500. In a cut with Mrs. Mooney, Miss Katherine Edmiston won first prize which was a dainty souvenir spoon of Ada. Miss Helen Jones getting the consolation. After the game refreshments were served in two courses. First course consisting of salmon salad, sandwiches, olives, pickles and coffee. Second course, grape juice and cake.

Between the courses Louise and Guy Meaders drew a small express wagon, through the parlor into the dining room, filled with the articles of a miscellaneous shower for Miss Nina Thompson. Toasts to the bride (and matrimony) were given by Mrs. Chas. Thompson and Miss McGee. All enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon.

Those present were Misses Nina Thompson, Gwin, Taylor, Jones, Cullins, Torbett, McGee, Katz, Garrett, Poor, Edmiston, Houser, Mesdames, Mays, Yeager, Mooney, Chapman and C. Thompson

42 Party.

Mrs. Carlton Weaver's pretty home in Capitol Hill was open to a number of friends Friday afternoon in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. E. Haynes, Jr.

The rooms were effectively decorated with pink carnations. After six tables had enjoyed a number of games at 42, the guests were refreshed with cream and cake.

Mrs. Weaver was assisted by Mrs. Haynes, Sr., Mrs. F. W. Chambers and Mrs. Arthur Blanks

With Mr. and Mrs. Ebey.

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A dainty two-course menu was served

The regular club attendance was augmented by the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Weaver, Mr. Maun Timberlake and Miss Stovall

Mrs. James Wintersmith is entertaining this afternoon in compliment to her sister, Mrs. Chas. Long of Louisville Ky

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Chambers will serve six o'clock dinner this evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Haynes, Jr.

Our Cousin.

Miss Mollie Jernigan and the Weaver boys' cousin over in Tennessee is going to get married so reports the Nashville press.

"HARWOOD-BARRY."

"Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barry are issuing invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Leone, to Mr. Richard H. Harwood of Pulaski, Tenn. The wedding will be solemnized in Springfield on the evening of Wednesday, May 12. Rev. W. B. Lowery will be the officiant.

"This announcement will be of interest to the many friends of the bride-elect in Nashville, where she is a social favorite. Mr. Harwood is also well known both to the social and business world, being a member of a leading wholesale firm in Pulaski. Further plans for the wedding will be announced later."—Nashville Banner

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FLOUR STILL SOARING.

Indications Are Now That Price Will
Continue to Creep up Higher.

Chicago, Ill., April 16.—Rise in the price of flour until the mills in America are selling spring wheat flour at \$7 a barrel, or \$1.30 more than a year ago, is brought to light as one of the effects of the present condition of the wheat market and the country's supply of the cereal, according to the Chicago managers of the Washburn-Crosby Company, the Northwestern Consolidated Milling company, which operate what are declared the largest mills in the United States and practically fix the price of flour. There is no relief in sight from present conditions, and every indication is that the price of flour will continue to soar and may go to \$10 a barrel.

A Hump for Emma.

Emma Goldman, in referring to some of her precious fellow anarchists, says: "It is not for us to condemn those whose psychology leads them to use violence in the furtherance of human liberty." May be not. But it is for us to let our psychology lead us to put them in jail so as to shut off the activities of their psychology. —McAlester News

Chauncey Grand Secretary.

There is evidence of the heartiest gratification among the Odd Fellows of this city that worthy member, Mr. C. M. Chauncey has been elected secretary of the grand lodge. The grand Ada Odd Fellows lodge is particularly prosperous in Oklahoma and the acquisition of a secretaryship of the grand lodge, its most important office, affords a position both highly honorable and substantial.

The News congratulates Mr. Chauncey on the very nice honor which has been accorded him. The grand lodge has selected a member for secretary who is splendidly equipped for the position for it is known that Mr. Chauncey loves the I. O. O. F. and is well grounded in its pure and immortal teachings which is profoundly relative to the precepts of the organization, which together with his well known business adeptness and clerical ability affords guarantee that he will make good.

Mr. Chauncey has leased for the grand lodge officers three rooms over Freeman's. The duties of the secretaryship will require practically his entire time. The duties of the position are sufficiently onerous, that a clerk is required lots of the time, for all of which the grand lodge awards liberal compensation.

OKLAHOMA-ARKANSAS DEBATE.

Intercollegiate Debate to Be Held at
Norman This Month.

Norman, Okla., April 16.—The inter-collegiate debate between Arkansas and Oklahoma universities will be held in Norman on the 24th of April, the night of the interscholastic track and field meet. The question is "Resolved, that the federal government should have complete and entire control over the education of the negro." The constitutionality of the question is waived. Oklahoma has the negative.

C. R. Eckes and Gray represent Oklahoma university, and as yet the names of the Arkansas debaters have not been received, although they have been chosen.

District Farmers Union.

A meeting of the District Farmers' Union is being held at the court house today for the purpose of transacting some local business. A good number of the members are in attendance, most of whom are very jubilant over the present outlook for good crop conditions in this country the coming season.

The membership of the union is on the increase, and a notable evidence of enthusiasm can be observed. The union is attracting to its organization a more stable class of farmers than have heretofore participated in the movement, and it bids fair to maintain a healthful and permanent organization in this country in the future.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Commencing Monday, April 19th, we will run our business on a strictly cash basis, but prices will be the same as last year providing you buy coupon books. Business books at 40c per 100 lbs., size of books 1000 and 3000 lbs. Residence books 60c per 100 lbs. You can get them 200, 300 and 500. All books will be sold by the drivers. They are charged out to them. All ice sold from the wagons for cash is 80c per 100 lbs. Please do not ask the drivers for credit, as they are responsible and any uncollected bills that they may make will be charge dup to them personally. Ice sold at plant 50c per 100 lbs.

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Miss Etter Improved.

The News is gratified to chronicle the improvement of Mrs. F. J. Etter who has been imminently ill for some time. Capt. Etter, when inquiry was made stated that the physicians regarded his wife out of danger, unless unlooked for complications should arise.

Rev. J. C. Stalcup a leading state Baptist minister who is Mrs. Etter's brother and Walter Etter and wife of Frederick are at the Etter home.

Just received new Oxfords in all leathers new hose in all colors. Pink, blue, ox blood, white and black. Price 10c to 50c a pair at the Grand Leader.

J. H. Young from Cooper, Tex., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Misso at Roff, and son, Claud Young at Fitzhugh. He intimated that he would at an early date, move to our good country.

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I will build your house, barns, outhouses, fences and grade your yard, repair your screens, doors, windows, etc. Will furnish plans upon request

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III ACT DRAMA Nevada AT OPERA HOUSE BY Local Talent

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Tues., Apr. 20

Under the Direction of Jno. Gardner

Assisted by Miss McGee and Miss Shannafelt.

THE PLAYERS

"NEVADA"
Tom Carew John Gardner
Richard Fairlee, or "Dandy Dick" Gilbert Reed
Steele Sr., or Vermont Don Tolbert
Silas Steele Jr. Homer Matthews
Stephen Carls, alias Jerden, the Detective Clay Vaden
Juba, the Nigger Dick Harris
Win-Kye, the Funny Chinaman Jim Fontleroy
Widow Merton Otis Davidson
Agnes Fairlee, Dick's Sister Miss Mary Kate Baker
"MOSELLE," the Wait Miss Grace McGee
Miss Durell Cullins

SYNOPSIS OF PLAY

ACT I—Scene in Sierra Nevada Mountains. Moselle returns from school accompanied by her friend, Agnes Fairlee. Tom's love at first sight. The detective in search of his man. "Perhaps 'tis Nevada." Who calls Nevada the "Gold King." Tom's mistake. "No, no, daddy, my heart is breaking."

ACT II—Scene—Interior of Vermont's cabin. Dick in custody. "Why did he do this?" "Because he loved you." "I was in the way." What! Run off with my own sister? "Don't shoot—I'm your dad."

ACT III—Scene same as first. "Oh, daddy, don't let them take Dick to prison!" Tom finds the mine. "Dick, you are free." Nevada is restored to reason and his lost child. "The jewel of my lost mine."

SPECIALTIES

1. Song—When Mr. Dolly Grows to Be a Lady—Violet Moore. (Song and Chorus.)
2. The Bow Bearers of Chief Red Cloud—Leona Chauncey, Corine Katz, Will Tom Truitt, Ruby Eaton.
3. The Soldiers and the Red Cross Nurse—Pauline Jones and Fred Fontleroy.
4. Redwing (Illustrated)—Leona Chauncey and Jim Fontleroy.

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Saturday, April 17th

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Church Directory

Asbury Methodist Church.
Services first and third Sunday mornings at 11 and Sunday evening, also fourth Sunday evening of each month.

Sunday school every Sunday 9:45 a. m., W. L. Roddie, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00.

Junior League meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 7:00.

Woman's Home Missionary Society meets first and third Wednesdays of each month.

First Presbyterian Church.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. T. Higgins, superintendent.

Presbyterian Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 8:00. J. D. White, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45, Orville Speed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

First Baptist Church.

No pastor at present. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Sunday school 9:45 a. m., W. U. Dincoan, superintendent. B. Y. P. U. Sunday afternoon at 6:30.

Christian Church

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. C. E. Smutz, p. tor.

Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent.

Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. U. M. first Thursday in each month. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00.

The Christian Endeavor Society meets at 3 p. m.

First Methodist Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor.

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. T. F. Pierce, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 7:00. Intermediate and Junior Leagues meet Sunday afternoon.

Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, except 3rd Monday. Foreign Mission Society meets every 3rd Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Teachers' meeting every Tuesday evening at 8:00.

North Ada Baptist Church.

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45. A. N. Harrison, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Ladies Aid Society meets every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

PRISCO.

Eastbound.

No. 508 due 9:15 a. m.
No. 510 due 4:10 p. m.

Westbound.

No. 509 due 9:30 a. m.
No. 507 due 5:30 p. m.

M. K. & T.

Southbound.

No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.

Northbound.

No. 112 due 4:05 p. m.

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.

Westbound.

No. 3 due 10:32 a. m.

Eastbound.

No. 2 due 4:07 p. m.

LODGE DIRECTORY.

W. O. W.

Ada Camp, No. 565, Woodmen of the World, meets every 1st and 3rd Monday nights at I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting Woodmen are always welcome.

Ada Aerie, No. 1740.

Meets every Wednesday evening in hall on South Townsend.

I. O. O. F.

Ada lodge No. 82, I. O. F. meets every Thursday evening. A. T. Denton, N. G.; C. Chauncey, secretary.

Ada Hebrew Lodge No. 146.

Meets first, third and fifth Saturday nights of each month. Noble Grand, Mrs. C. M. Chauncey; Secretary, Mrs. Olive Baker.

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Priest—Mr. J. C. Cates.
Male Quartette.

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Wm. Penn—Mr. McKeown.

Queen of City—Miss Wilson.
Dixie—Mrs. J. D. A. Harris.

Uncle Sam—Mr. Geo. Cox.
Columbia—Miss Thompson.

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Dixie Doodle—Pauline Jones.

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Assisted by leading business firms of city, 50 Farles, 40 Brownies, 18 Indians, 8 in party of Columbus landing. Wm. Penn and Parkians, 20; Calene Class 20, Newsboys 12, Floral Drill 24, 30 Leading Characters, Soldiers in Gray and Blue, Drill by Ladies of W. O. W., Solos and Choruses, Orilla, Tahitian, with angels. Pantomimes in front with full Orchestra. This is a beautiful entertainment of high grade, every one should come out to see and help the cause as it is a worthy one.

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April 22

THE EVENING NEWS

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STRONG DEFENSE OF BANK LAW

COMMISSIONER YOUNG REPLIES TO ARTICLE IN JOURNAL OF POLITICAL ECONOMY.

MERITS OF LAW MADE PLAIN

Success of Oklahoma Guaranteed Banking Law Should Be Satisfactory Recommendation.

In answer to a bitter and untruthful attack on the State Banking Law, published in the Journal of Political Economy and commented upon in the Review of Reviews, State Bank Commissioner A. M. Young makes the letter printed below.

It is not only a masterful refutation of the slanderous article, but it reflects the spirit of constructive, progressive, young Oklahoma, which challenges blatant error, no difference from what quarter it comes.

Guthrie, Okla., April 14, 1909. Journal of Political Economy, Chicago, University, Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sir: My attention has been called to an article that recently appeared in your valued journal written by W. C. Webster, and extensively quoted from in the April number of the American Review of Reviews. The statements are so absolutely erroneous and foreign to the facts that I feel that it is my duty as bank commissioner of the state of Oklahoma to correct them.

It is not my purpose to argue the merits or demerits of our guaranteed bank law. I feel quite sure that it is your desire to give your intelligent readers the real facts pertaining to all business matters. Taking this view of it, I feel perfectly justified in addressing this letter to you.

Taking the charges in the order in which he mentions them:

First—I beg to say that under our Amended Guaranty Banking Bill an assessment of one-fifth of one per cent is to be levied yearly on the average daily deposits of state banks, with a limit any one year not to exceed two per cent, which in my judgment removes the most serious feature of the law. This assessment is to continue until a guaranty fund shall have been created equal to five per cent of the total deposits of the state banks; after which only such assessments will be made as is necessary to keep the guaranty fund growing in proportion to the deposits. If, for any reason the guaranty fund on hand together with the two per cent assessment should prove insufficient to pay the depositors of failed banks, the state banking board is empowered to issue a six per cent interest bearing certificate secured by the two per cent assessment to be made the following year.

Second—it is true that the attorney general of this state rendered an opinion in which he said that the deposits were guaranteed by the state of Oklahoma, but in a limited way. Acting upon this opinion, some few of our banks did advertise as above, but today, so far as I know there is not a state bank in Oklahoma advertising their deposits as being guaranteed by the state. The recent legislature passed a law which says, "No

bank shall be permitted to advertise its deposits as guaranteed by the state of Oklahoma, and any bank or bank officer or employee, who shall advertise their deposits as guaranteed by the state of Oklahoma, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding five hundred dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail for thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the trial court.

Third—He says that the guaranty fund is redeposited in the banks and kept loaned out by them. Fifty per cent of these funds have been invested in state warrants bearing interest at the rate of six per cent, the balance is kept in banks subject to check. The interest on the investments has more than paid the expenses of administering the office of the state banking board, into whose hands these funds are entrusted. Under our present law, seventy-five per cent of the guaranty fund is to be invested in such securities as the state invests her own money, twenty-five per cent to be kept in cash.

Fourth—He states that the Oklahoma law has not closed the door of hope against the reckless and incompetent banker, but has actually opened it much wider than it was before, and that the state today seems to be entering upon an era of "Wild Cat Banking," which if not checked will ultimately result in financial disaster. In this connection I beg to say that no man is permitted to take official control of a bank in this state until he gives reference as to his moral and financial standing as well as his business qualifications. I do not mean to say by this that we haven't any dishonest bankers in Oklahoma, but I do mean to say that our state bankers will compare favorably in this respect with the national bankers in this or any other state. As to Wild Cat Banking, I think that it is only necessary to call your attention to the fact that under the national and Oklahoma state call of February 5 (we make calls on the same days as national), the national banks held 42 per cent reserve, while the state banks held 49.3 per cent, showing the state banks to be financially stronger than the national banks. So far as I have been able to find out, there is not another state in this Union whose banks can show reserve equal to this. If this does not show conservatism in a wonderful degree, it does not show anything.

It has been charged frequently by men who are ignorant of the facts, or who wilfully, knowingly and premeditatedly misrepresent them that the state bankers of Oklahoma in order to get business were paying exorbitant rates on time deposits. In this connection, I want to add that national banks are converting into state banks almost daily. Examining them show in every instance (except two) that national banks are paying four to seven per cent on time deposits, while under our guaranty law a state bank is not permitted to pay a greater rate of interest than three per cent on deposits where left for a less length of time than six months, and four per cent if left longer. I am pleased to say that the state bankers almost without exception are complying strictly with the ruling of this department in this respect.

Again he says that the mania for starting new banks is not confined to the towns. He says in the little village of Harrah, which has about one hundred and fifty inhabitants, two banks have been established and their total deposits are less than fifteen thousand dollars. I have sworn statements in this office, by the Harrah State Bank and the State Bank of Commerce (under call of February 5), showing deposits of about fifty thousand dollars. This is a fair sample of the reckless statements made by Mr. Webster. He further states that men of doubtful character are allowed to organize banks in Oklahoma and states that one of the new banks had been started by a man who had just been released from the state penitentiary. This statement is so absolutely ridiculous and utterly false that it does not deserve notice at my hands and I am quite sure the intelligent readers of your journal will not give it the slightest credit. He openly charges that saloon keepers and disreputable men generally are permitted to go into the banking business in this state. This is another one

of his reckless statements unsupported by facts.

He refers to two state bank failures. There hasn't been a single state bank failure in Oklahoma since this law went into operation and the guaranty fund has never suffered one dollar. He refers to the closing of the international bank of Coalgate and tries to make the public believe that it was done for political purposes. H. H. Smock, the bank commissioner at that time, is as loyal a republican as can be found anywhere. He certainly had no desire to do anything that would aid the democratic party. He closed the bank at Coalgate not because they were insolvent, but because they had violated the law in permitting the president and cashier to use the funds of the bank, notwithstanding he did everything in his power to get them to replace the money and otherwise comply with the law. Under our laws active officials of a bank can neither directly or indirectly use its funds and the officers so using said funds is deemed guilty of larceny. The directors of the bank of Coalgate expressed their shanks and gratitude to the bank commissioner for closing the doors of this bank. It was not a matter of the bank's condition, but purely one of violating the law that caused the commissioner to take such radical steps. I want to say that this will be done in every instance where the bank refuses to comply with this feature of the law.

Again he says that most people overlook the fact that eighty-five to ninety per cent of all bank deposits are created by loans. I am really glad that Mr. Webster made this statement. It will, at least, show the intelligent bankers of America how absolutely ignorant he is of the banking business. Men do not borrow money to keep it on deposit. The records in this office will show that not twenty-five per cent of our deposits are created in this way. I believe that I am justified in saying that what is true in Oklahoma in this respect is true in other states.

I am quite sure that you have no desire to do our fair young state and her great business interest an injustice, and I sincerely hope you will give this letter what wide publicity that you saw proper to give Mr. Webster's, which I regard as the most untruthful and slanderous that has ever been penned against our guaranty law and the state of Oklahoma. Very respectfully,

A. M. YOUNG,
Bank Commissioner.

Base Ball.

Ada Normal team leaves tomorrow for Holdenville for Sunday's game; on their return trip the Bloomers will be on hand for a series of three games. Big crowd expected to accompany the team to Holdenville tomorrow.

Fresh Candies

We have just received a fresh supply of the following candies:
Vassar Supreme Chocolates
Rumers Fine Chocolates
King's Chocolates and Bonbons
Fletcher's Chocolates
Milk Made Kisses
Hershey's Milk Chocolates
Bir Bitter Sweet Chocolate
Chocolate Nougat
Turkish Nougat Bar
Marshmallows
Swissettes
Knut Butter Candy

Hand Puffed Butter Scotch
Violet Breath Perfume
Chewing Gum of all kinds

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REVOLUTION IS ON IN TURKEY

CONSTANTINOPLE BOMBARDED AND 2,000 ARE KILLED.

ARMENIANS ARE SLAUGHTERED

Young Turks Notify Sultan that They Will Preserve the Constitution.

Berlin, April 16.—A special dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger from Ristowatz says that after a monster meeting there the Young Turks telegraphed the Sultan, saying:

"We are marching on Constantinople in order to save the constitution you are trying to abolish."

The Belgrade correspondent of the paper says that the Turkish minister there is reported to have received a dispatch saying that the Pera and Galata quarters of Constantinople had been bombarded by the Young Turks and 2,000 persons had been killed.

Turkey is at the beginning of her first attempt at popular government. A constitution was granted the country July 24, 1908, by the sultan, and elections for a parliament were held in due course. The new legislature was inaugurated Dec. 17, since when the empire has been under constitutional administration.

The hand of the sultan was forced and he was obliged to give the country a constitution by the Young Turks, who had been particularly active under the leadership of the committee of Union and Progress since 1905.

The granting of the constitution was followed by the dismissal or flight of various members of the hated palace cliques and the installation of officials dictated by the successful insurgents, who still maintained their organization and continued to operate through the committee of Union and Progress.

Since the first day of its success, the course of the committee has been dictatorial and absolute and has aroused a counter-political sentiment which has brought out and crystallized the opposition of the liberals.

Important Events in Turkey.

1288—Ottoman empire founded by Ottoman on the ruins of the old empire of the Seljukian Turks. Ottoman's rule extended until 1326.

1453—Constantinople captured by the Turks under Mohammed II. Has remained in control of Turkey ever since.

1520—Accession to throne of Solyman the Magnificent. Solyman's reign, until 1566, was brightest period in history of Ottoman empire.

1571—Battle of Lepanto. Selim II. defeated by the Holy League. (Venice Spain and the pope.) Beginning of the decline of Turkish empire.

1829—Independence of Greece recognized.

1856—Treaty of Paris ends Crimean war.

1876—Abdul Hamid II, the present Sultan, ascends the throne of Turkey. Parliamentary constitution bestowed by the porte upon Ottoman empire. Russo-Turkish war the following year prevented the working out of the constitutional scheme.

1878—Congress of Berlin. Power again save Turkish empire from disintegration following Russo-Turkish war.

1897—Turks victorious in war with Greece following massacres in Armenia and Macedonia the preceding year.

1908—Young Turks victorious in forcing the porte to grant a constitutional form of government for Turkey.

A Countess Imbroglio.

As the north bound Frisco passenger train pulled out this morning quite an unusual disturbance occurred on the platform, occasioned by a big burly colored gentleman undertaking to prevent a colored woman from boarding the train. It appears that the man accused the woman of stealing something from him and he had taken the law in his own hands and was endeavoring to prevent her from making a get away. Officers interfered and quashed the disturbance, but the train missed a passenger just the same.

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ARDMORE PRESBYTERY SUCCESSFUL GATHERING

INTERESTING BUSINESS SESSION
WAS HELD YESTERDAY.

Work Finished Today but Several
Ministers Will Remain Over
Sunday.

A large amount of business was transacted at the sessions of the Ardmore Presbytery Friday.

Dr. L. H. Beeler was a welcome visitor. Dr. Beeler is president of Henry Kendall college at Tulsa, and addressed the audience Friday in the interest of that growing institution.

An important feature of the day was the election of representatives from the Ardmore Presbytery to the general assembly in Denver, which convenes in May. Rev. Thomas Carey, pastor of First Presbyterian church at Tishomingo was elected delegate on the part of the ministers and Rev. J. H. Dickerson, of Wynnewood, alternate. On the part of the eldership, Dr. D. B. Looney, of Mill Creek was the chosen delegate and Orville Sneed, Ada, alternate.

Friday evening an interesting program was rendered under the auspices of the Home and Foreign Mission committees. Rev. Charles Christensen, of McAlester and Rev. C. C. Weith, of Ardmore, presiding. Among the speakers were, Revs. R. L. Phelps, J. D. Bralley and M. F. Cowden, of McAlester.

Services this evening will be a popular meeting held under the auspices of the Presbyterian Brotherhood. This will, however, be an open meeting. Rev. Thomas Carey will preside.

A number of the visitors were compelled to return to their homes today but several will remain with us over Sunday, and have been invited to fill the pulpits of the various churches in the city.

The following program is arranged for Sunday:

At the First Methodist church, Rev. C. C. Weith, pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Ardmore, will preach at 11 a. m., and Rev. M. F. Cowden, pastor Central Presbyterian church at McAlester, at 8 p. m.

At the Ansbury Methodist church, Rev. R. G. Carnahan, pastor of East side Presbyterian church at Ardmore, will preach at 11 a. m. and Rev. Duncan McRuer, of Pauls Valley, at 8 p. m.

At the Christian church, 3 p. m., Rev. R. L. Phelps, pastor of Presbyterian church Purcell, will fill the pulpit.

At the Presbyterian U. S. A., R. L. Phelps will preach at 11 a. m., and Rev. R. G. Carnahan, 8 p. m.

R. E. Gough was tried in police court this afternoon on a charge of operating a house of ill fame in the city and was found guilty by the court.

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SOME REASONS WHY IT PAYS

THE FARMER TO HAVE A TELEPHONE

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A BIG DEAL.

L. E. Patterson, Well Known in Ada
Makes Big Realty Deal.

Oklahoma City, April 17.—One of the largest real estate deals of the year was recently closed by the Putnam company, wherein L. E. Patterson sold his interest in the Putnam lands in the northwest portion of Oklahoma City, including all unsold lots in Putnam Heights, Lakeside and other lands which are now resident additions to Oklahoma City. The name of the purchaser is now withheld at his request, but he is said to be one of Oklahoma's most prominent capitalists, now living in another part of the state, but will likely take up a residence in Oklahoma City. The consideration paid for this property is not now given, but it is stated its value is considerably above \$100,000.

Speaking of the transaction to a reporter last night, Mr. Patterson said:

"I am closing out my active real estate holdings in order to give my entire attention to the traction work in which I am now and will be engaged, especially that which is in the developing stage, requiring active and constant attention. I regard the property I have sold as one of the choicest residence sections in or adjoining the city and will soon be a high-class residence district."

Mr. Patterson is a former resident of Ada, as well as a property holder here and director of the Oklahoma State Bank.

Nevada Tuesday Night.

What promises to be one of the leading local attractions of the season, in the way of entertainment is the local talent play, Nevada, which will be given at the Ardmore next Tuesday night under the auspices of the Women's clubs of the city. Funds which accrue from the entertainment will be used to defray expenses of the district meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs, which will be held in Ada May 11 and 12.

The play is an excellent production and the characters are all well up on their parts, and those who attend will not regret having done so. Let everybody turn out and help the ladies.

Country Life Commission.

Guthrie, Okla., April 16.—Superintendent Cameron is securing assistance for the Oklahoma Country Life Commission meeting, which is to be held here May 5 and 6, from the National association for country life appointed by President Roosevelt. Norval D. Kemp of Dayton, Ohio, has written that he will probably be in attendance and suggests that Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture, William Jennings Bryan, Mr. Pinshot of the United States Forestry service and J. Horace McFarland, president of the American Civic Association of Harrisburg, Pa., would attend and make speeches.

HARTSHORN MOB FIGHTS OFFICERS

UNDERTAKE TO GET POSSESSION
OF MIKE ZANONE.

Prisoner in Custody Had Killed
Mother-in-law and Her Younger
Daughter.

McAlester, Ok., April 16.—An excited mob fought the officers clear on to an interurban car at Hartshorn at 5 o'clock this evening trying to get Mike Zanone in connection with the shooting of his mother-in-law, Mrs. George Voss, and her 17-year-old daughter, Miss Willie.

Zanone left here this afternoon and went to the Voss house at Hartshorne to see his divorced wife and baby. His wife refused to talk to him and went into another room, when, he says, the two women seized him to throw him outdoors and the shooting took place. Both women were killed instantly. Later officers found him and he exchanged shots with them and ran toward a barn. There he was shot behind the ear with a load of bird shot. He then fought hard and was handcuffed and the mob threatening, the truncheon notified the train dispatcher's office and received orders not to go to the end of the line, but to turn back toward McAlester at once. The officers managed to get the man on the car after a hard struggle with the mob.

He is in jail here and his wound dressed. The doctor says he will live. There is still much excitement over the affair both here and at Hartshorne.

The young woman killed would have graduated in June at the Hartshorne High school.

JOHN BULLETTE KILLED.

Unknown Assassin Takes Life of
Prominent Oklahoman at
Claremore.

Claremore, Okla., April 16.—An unknown assassin killed John Bullette in his office in this city at 11 o'clock last night while the latter was busied at his desk. Two shots were fired, one striking him in the neck and the other in the back. After Bullette was shot he arose from his chair and staggered about ten feet and fell dead.

Much mystery surrounds the affair as he was not known to have any enemies and no motive can be given for such a crime. A night policeman saw a man leaving the rear of the building and when the man was called upon to stop he told the officer that he was employed at a pool hall and hurried on, making his escape, although the officer fired at him three times. As soon as the murder was made known the sheriff's force organized a posse and is now scouring the country in an effort to find the assassin.

Bullette was one of the most prominent and widely known Delaware-Cherokee Indians in the eastern part of the state, being a lawyer, capitalist, member of the Cherokee legislature and prominent in the Sequoyah convention. He had extensive holdings in San Antonio, South Coffeyville, Tulsa, Muskogee and Claremore and was rated as one of the wealthiest men of his tribe. He was to have been married in June to Miss Pearl Eddleman of Muskogee, a former employee of the government in the Indian agency service.

COMFORTING WORDS

Many an Ada Household Will Find
Them So.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed; to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. To tell how this great change can be brought about will prove comforting words to hundreds of Ada readers.

E. M. Allen carpenter, Tenth St. Holdenville, Okla., says: "I do not know how to express my gratitude to Doan's Kidney Pills for the relief they have given me. Up to a few months ago I suffered to quite an extent from weak kidneys. My joints became so lame that I could hardly move about and often I woke at night finding myself in such a stiffened condition that I had to have assistance to turn. There was a dull, heavy ache directly over my kidneys and also rheumatic twinges which darted through my body. The kidney secretions passed with a scalding sensation and were very unnatural. After other kidney remedies had failed to have any effect upon my case, Doan's Kidney Pills came to my aid. The first few doses relieved me and a short continued use brought about a complete cure."

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ITS EMPLOYEES AND
THEIR FAMILIES.

Pay day Monday

The large stacks are taking on a new coat of paint.

Don Shipman's wife, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Clarence Swope, foreman of the sack room, is off sick.

Fred Cox, of the machine shop, went home sick Friday.

The foundations for the new boilers and dryers are now completed.

Excavation has begun for the piers of the extension tracks at the large crusher.

John Roberts, foreman at the dry room, has gone to White Field, Okla. to visit his family.

Mrs. S. A. Ford, engineer's wife, who has been sick for some time was not so well last night.

Tom Bennett, of the repair gang has a big boy at his house. Tom is one of the proudest employees of the Cement plant.

W. B. Jones, engineer on the switch engine, is off attending court at Sherman. In his absence W. G. Briggs is filling his place.

HAPPY WOMEN.

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A. H. Constant made a business trip to Coalgate today.

Irvn Chamberlain of Roff was an Ada visitor today

Dr. Faust left this morning on a business trip to Seminole

E. E. Matthews has returned from a business trip to Guthrie

F. L. Norton of Roff was a business visitor in our city today

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Miss Martin of Mill Creek came in this morning to attend the Presbytery

Miss Grace Stewart of Tupelo, is the guest of Misses Ruth and Jennie Roddie

Mrs. E. B. Downing of Weatherford, Okla. was in our city today en route to Roff

Mrs. Ethel Shannateit accompanied by Miss Irene Mason went to Atoka this morning

Miss Gertrude West who has been visiting relatives in Shawnee returned home this morning

A. S. Egner and Rev. Paul Crawford attended to Durant today after attending the Presbytery.

Mrs. Campbell of Hickory came in this morning to spend Sunday with her daughter Miss Vada Campbell.

Mrs. Metz who has been the guest of Mrs. C. H. Raves left this morning for her home in Greenville, Tex.

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Mrs. J. R. Thompson left this morning for a six weeks visit with friends and relatives in Charlotte and Chester, N. C.

Mrs. Zeb McKoy who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. G. Broadfoot returned to her home in Stonewall this morning

Miss Arelene Harbert who has been taking testimony in the Miller murder case, returned to her home in Roff this morning

Miss Minnie McKain went to Atoka this morning to meet her grandmother, Mrs. M. E. Underwood of Rockwall, Tex. who is coming to Ada for a visit

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SOCIETY NOTES

Mrs. William Mays in compliment to Miss Warren.

With the gladness of Easter-day to dispel the gloom of Lent, with spring's awakening touch every where there are signs of promise along social ways.

One of the most delightful of these that has been pleasantly anticipated by the young people of Ada, was the "500" party given Friday evening by Mrs. William Mays, in compliment to Miss Geo. Prierson's guest, Miss Warren of Ft. Worth.

The attractive home of the hostess' mother, Mrs. Higgins, looked even more so on this occasion, beautiful spring blossoms and ferns being everywhere in evidence. During the evening bon-bons were served by Miss Sallie Fulton, who proved a delightful score-keeper.

After eight spirited games, a tempting two-course luncheon of shrimp salad, cheese straws, olives, coffee, strawberry cream and cake was served.

Then came a very interesting feature of the evening, the awarding of the prizes. The guest of honor prize a beautiful cut glass vase was given Miss Warren, and in a cut with Miss Epperson both having received the same number of games. Miss Warren also received the high score prize, a hand-painted plate. Mr. Johnson made the highest score of the gentlemen and was presented with a handsome cut-glass and silver cigar jar, filled with cigars. He very generously passed them around to his defeated colleagues. Mr. Maddox was awarded the consolation prize.

Mrs. Mays was assisted by Mesdames Conn, Moody, Higgins and Miss Fulton. Those present were: Misses Brown, Katz, Wilson, Epperson, Gwin, Taylor, Cullins, Davies and Warren; Warren, Maddox, Terrell, Epperson, Whiteside, Dr. Saffarans, Edleman Weaver and Dr. Thompson.

Theater Party.

Mrs. M. L. Sowers entertained the young crowd very pleasantly at her home in Sunrise to a six o'clock dinner last evening, after enjoying the dinner very much, the hostess chaperoned the young ladies to both electric theaters and from there they enjoyed cream at Ramsey's drug store. Those present were: Misses Alma Ingram, Minnie Lue Timin, Annie Mae Sims, Mattie Thompson, Fannie J. Allen and Ruth Sowers.

Reception.

One of the most beautiful social events of the season was the reception tendered by Mrs. R. E. Haynes Wednesday afternoon to Mrs. R. E. Haynes, Jr., of Columbia Tenn. and Miss Nina Thompson.

As the guests arrived, they were graciously received by Mesdames Hardin, LeFevre and Simpson. The halls, parlor and frappe room were decorated in green and white.

Mrs. Haynes, Sr., Mrs. Haynes, Jr., Miss Thompson, Mrs. Carlton Weaver and Mrs. F. W. Chambers received the guests in the parlor. Mrs. Haynes wore a white messaline satin gown. Mrs. Haynes, Jr., was charming in a gown of seatoam brocade satin with point lace and pearl trimmings, her hair being caught by a beautiful diamond sunburst. Miss Thompson was elegantly gowned in a blue silk directoire with lace trimmings. Mrs. Carlton Weaver wore a handsome and becoming gown of old rose messaline, with real lace trimmings. Mrs. F. W. Chambers wore a dainty gown of white mousseline.

The guests were ushered into the dining room by Mrs. Hope and Mrs. Lassater and there received by Mesdames King, Galbraith, McKinley and Beard. The serving table was presided over by Mrs. Duncan and Mrs. Thornton. The dining room was beautifully decorated in pink and white, and the table had an elaborate covering of Cluny lace with magnificent vase of carnations in the center. Clusters of candles added a soft light to the scene. The sandwiches were tied with pink ribbon and the color

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The frappe room was presided over by Mesdames Ebey and Moody. During the reception, Miss Garrett pleased the guests with many beautiful selections from Mendelssohn and others.

The guests of honor, Mrs. Haynes, Jr., and Miss Thompson are admirable brunnette types and Ada society has never done honor to more charming and lovable characters.

The occasion will ever be remembered by Ada society folk and given by them a high place in the list of social functions which have occurred in this city

The 500 Club.

Tuesday afternoon the "Five Hundred" club met with Mrs. J. T. Conn to discuss the scores made by the different members throughout the year. At the organization of the club last fall it was decided that, after the club met with each of its members the six holding the lowest scores would entertain the other six with a luncheon. It was found that Mesdames Mays, Conn, King, Beck, Tobin and Galbraith would be the ones to entertain. At the close of the discussion Mrs. Conn invited the club members into the dining room where they were served refreshments at a beautifully arranged table.

Morning Party.

Mrs. P. W. Simpson very charmingly entertained Mrs. R. E. Haynes, Sr., Mrs. Haynes, Jr., Miss Nina Thompson, Mrs. F. W. Chambers and Mrs. Carlton Weaver with Mrs. Haynes' house party of eighteen, Friday morning.

The ever interesting game 42 was played and delightful refreshments served.

Mrs. Foster Simpson, from Konawa was a guest.

Miss Gertrude Thompson Entertains.

On Saturday afternoon last the Bachelor Girls met with Miss Gertrude Thompson and enjoyed a delightful afternoon of 500. In a cut with Mrs. Mooney, Miss Katherine Edmiston won first prize which was a dainty souvenir spoon of Ada. Miss Helen Jones getting the consolation. After the game refreshments were served in two courses. First course consisting of salmon salad, sandwiches, olives, pickles and coffee. Second course, grape juice and cake.

Between the courses Louise and Guy Meaders drew a small express wagon, through the parlor into the dining room, filled with the articles of a miscellaneous shower for Miss Nina Thompson. Toasts to the bride (and matrimony) were given by Mrs. Chas. Thompson and Miss McGee. All enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon.

Those present were Misses Nina Thompson, Gwin, Taylor, Jones, Cullins, Torbett, McGee, Katz, Garrott, Poor, Edmiston, Houser, Mesdames, Mays, Yeager, Mooney, Chapman and C. Thompson

42 Party.

Mrs. Carlton Weaver's pretty home in Capitol Hill was open to a number of friends Friday afternoon in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. E. Haynes, Jr.

The rooms were effectively decorated with pink carnations. After six tables had enjoyed a number of games at 42, the guests were refreshed with cream and cake.

Mrs. Weaver was assisted by Mrs. Haynes, Sr., Mrs. F. W. Chambers and Mrs. Arthur Blanks

With Mr. and Mrs. Ebey. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ebey entertained the 42 club Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Haynes, Jr., being guests of honor

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A dainty two-course menu was served

The regular club attendance was augmented by the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Weaver, Mr. Maurin Timberlake and Miss Stovall

Mrs. James Wintersmith is entertaining this afternoon in compliment to her sister, Mrs. Chas Long of Louisville Ky

Mr and Mrs F. W. Chambers will serve six o'clock dinner this evening in honor of Mr and Mrs R. E. Haynes Jr.

Our Cousin.

Miss Mollie Jernigan and the Weaver boys' cousin over in Tennessee is going to get married so reports the Nashville press.

"HARWOOD-BARRY."

"Mr and Mrs. J. B. Barry are issuing invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Leone, to Mr. Richard H. Harwood of Pulaski, Tenn. The wedding will be solemnized in Springfield on the evening of Wednesday, May 12. Rev. W. B. Lowery will be the officiant.

"This announcement will be of interest to the many friends of the bride-elect in Nashville, where she is a social favorite. Mr. Harwood is also well known both to the social and business world, being a member of a leading wholesale firm in Pulaski. Further plans for the wedding will be announced later."—Nashville Banner

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Real Estate, Loans and Insurance
Farmers' State Bank

GOING UP!

Make up your mind quickly if you intend buying one of the choice building lots that we are offering now at such seductive prices, as every day means dollars to you. We have many choice plots for sale at prices that you couldn't touch them at in a year from today! These are splendid investments that make profitable returns.



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WHY? are you living in a city of the first class without enjoying first class conveniences? Coal oil lamps were better than the tallow candles our fore-fathers used, but, if you wish to be up-to-date, you will have to put away the old lamps and use

Electricity

It is safer, more convenient, matchless, no smoke, no soot, no smell.

It may cost less than you think. Just ask us questions and let us tell you about it

Ada Electric & Gas. Co.
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In Selecting a Bank

with which to do your business the first consideration is the character and standing of its officers and directors and the financial resources of the Bank. Judged by these standards your confidence and patronage are merited by the

First National Bank of Ada

P. A. Norris, Pres. H. T. Douglas, V. P.
M. D. Timberlake, Cashier

ICE CREAM HOME PRODUCT

We have our own Dairy and up-to-date Ice Cream Factory. Both are run under the inspection of the Pure Food Law. Our factory is in charge of one of the best cream makers that is obtainable. Previous to coming to us Mr. Prescott had charge of one of the largest factories in Kansas City. We put up the goods. With all the above advantages, why shouldn't we? Insist on cream made at our factory and you will not only get the best, but are patronizing a growing home industry.

R. L. McGUIRE, Prop. PURITY ICE CREAM CO.

TO-NIGHT AT THE DE SOTA Theatre

Moving Pictures

The Prodigal Son
A Maniac Juggler

Smoke Without Fire
The Enchanted Glasses

ILLUSTRATED SONG—"IN DEAR OLD DIXIE"

Get the habit. Everybody goes to the DeSota. Its interesting, instructive, delightful and wonderful. A complete change of moving pictures every night.

Admission—Children 5c; Adults 10c

FLOUR STILL SOARING.

Indications are now that Price Will Continue to Creep up Higher.

Chicago, Ill., April 16.—Rise in the price of flour until the mills in America are selling spring wheat flour at \$7 a barrel, or \$1.30 more than a year ago, is brought to light as one of the effects of the present condition of the wheat market and the country's supply of the cereal, according to the Chicago managers of the Washburn-Crosby Company, the Northwestern Consolidated Milling company, which operate what are declared the largest mills in the United States and practically fix the price of flour. There is no relief in sight from present conditions, and every indication is that the price of flour will continue to soar and may go to \$10 a barrel.

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A Hump for Emma.

Emma Goldman, in referring to some of her precious fellow anarchists, says: "It is not for us to condemn those whose psychology leads them to use violence in the furtherance of human liberty." May-be not. But it is for us to let our psychology lead us to put them in jail so as to shut off the activities of their psychology.—McAlester News

There is evidence of the heartiest gratification among the Odd Fellows of this city that worthy member, Mr. C. M. Chauncey has been elected secretary of the grand lodge. The great Ada Odd Fellows lodge is particularly prosperous in Oklahoma and the acquisition of a secretaryship of the grand lodge, its most important office, affords a position both highly honorable and substantial.

The News celebrates Mr. Chauncey on the very nice honor which has been accorded him. The grand lodge has selected a member for secretary who is splendidly equipped for the position for it is known that Mr. Chauncey loves the I. O. O. F. and is well grounded in its pure and immortal teachings which is profoundly relative to the precepts of the organization, which together with his well known business adeptness and clerical ability affords guarantee that he will make good.

Mr. Chauncey has leased for the grand lodge officers three rooms over Freeman's. The duties of the secretaryship will require practically his entire time. The duties of the position are sufficiently onerous, that a clerk is required lots of the time, for all of which the grand lodge awards liberal compensation.

OKLAHOMA-ARKANSAS DEBATE.

Intercollegiate Debate to Be Held at Norman This Month.

Norman, Okla., April 16.—The inter-collegiate debate between Arkansas and Oklahoma universities will be held in Norman on the 24th of April, the night of the interscholastic track and field meet. The question is "Resolved, that the federal government should have complete and entire control over the education of the negro." The constitutionality of the question is waived. Oklahoma has the negative.

C. R. Eckes and Gray represent Oklahoma university, and as yet the names of the Arkansas debaters have not been received, although they have been chosen.

District Farmers Union.

A meeting of the District Farmers' Union is being held at the court house today for the purpose of transacting some local business. A good number of the members are in attendance, most of whom are very jubilant over the present outlook for good crop conditions in this country the coming season.

The membership of the union is on the increase, and a notable evidence of enthusiasm can be observed. The union is attracting to its organization a more stable class of farmers than have heretofore participated in the movement, and it bids fair to maintain a healthful and permanent organization in this country in the future.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Commencing Monday, April 19th, we will run our business on a strictly cash basis, but prices will be the same as last year providing you buy common books. Business books at 40c per 100 lbs., size of books 1000 and 3000 lbs. Residence books 60c per 100 lbs. You can get them 200, 300 and 500. All books will be sold by the drivers. They are charged out to them. All ice sold from the wagons for cash is 30c per 100 lbs. Please do not ask the drivers for credit, as they are responsible and any uncollected bills that they may make will be charge dup to them personally. Ice sold at plant 50c per 100 lbs.

ADA ICE & FUEL CO.

Miss Etter Improved.

The News is gratified to chronicle the improvement of Mrs. F. J. Etter who has been imminently ill for some time. Capt. Etter, when inquiry was made stated that the physicians regarded his wife out of danger, unless unlooked for complications should arise.

Rev. J. C. Stalcup a leading state Baptist minister who is Mrs. Etter's brother and Walter Etter and wife of Frederick are at the Etter home.

Just received new Oxfords in all leathers new hose in all colors. Pink, blue, ox blood, white and black. Price 10c to 50c a pair at the Grand Leader.

J. H. Young from Cooper, Tex., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Missa at Hoff and son, Claid Young at Fitzhugh. He intimated that he would at an early date, move to our good country.

My Business is to Work
What have you that you want done?
I will build your house, barns, outhouses, fences and grade your yard, repair your screens, doors, windows, etc. Will furnish plans upon request
Herman Miller Phone 76

III ACT DRAMA Nevada AT OPERA HOUSE BY Local Talent

Benefit Federation Women's Clubs

Tues., Apr. 20

Under the Direction of Jno. Gardner

Assisted by Miss McGee and Miss Shannafelt.

THE PLAYERS

"NEVADA" John Gardner
Tom Carew Gilbert Reed
Richard Fairlee, or "Dandy Dick" Don Tolbert
Steele Sr., or Vermont Homer Matthews
Silas Steele Jr. Clay Vaden
Stephen Corlis, alias Jerden, the Detective Dick Harris
Jube, the Nigger Jim Fontleroy
Win-Kye, the Funny Chinaman Olie Davidson
Widow Merton Miss Mary Kate Baker
Agnes Fairlee, Dick's Sister Miss Grace McGee
"MOSELLE," the Wait Miss Durell Collins

SYNOPSIS OF PLAY

ACT I—Scene in Sierra Nevada Mountains. Mosselle returns from school accompanied by her friend, Agnes Fairlee. Tom's love at first sight. The detective in search of his man. "Perhaps 'tis Nevada." Who calls Nevada the "Gold King." Tom's mistake. "No, no, daddy, my heart is breaking."

ACT II—Scene—Interior of Vermont's cabin. Dick in custody. "Why did he do this?" "Because he loved you." "I was in the way." What! Run off with my own sister? "Don't shoot—I'm your dad."

ACT III—Scene same as first. "Oh, daddy, don't let them take Dick to prison!" Tom finds the mine. "Dick, you are free." Nevada is restored to reason and his lost child. "The jewel of my lost mine."

SPECIALTIES

1. Song—When My Dolly Grows to Be a Lady—Violet Moore. (Song and Chorus.)
2. The Bow Bearers of Chief Red Cloud—Leona Chauncey, Corine Katz, Will Tom Truitt, Ruby Eaton.
3. The Soldiers and the Red Cross Nurse—Pauline Jones and Fred Fontleroy.
4. Redwing (Illustrated)—Leona Chauncey and Jim Fontleroy.

Admission 25c, 35c and 50c

Seats on Sale at Ramsey's Drug Store

Chorus Scene MATINEE GIRL CO.



OPERA HOUSE

Saturday, April 17th

PRICES 75, 50, 35 and 25c

Seats on Sale at Ramsey's Drug Store

Church Directory

Asbury Methodist Church.
Services first and third Sunday mornings at 11 and Sunday evening, also fourth Sunday evening of each month.
Sunday school every Sunday 9:45 a. m., W. L. Roddie, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00.
Junior League meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 7:00.
Woman's Home Missionary Society meets first and third Wednesdays of each month.

First Presbyterian Church.
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. T. Higgins, superintendent.

Presbyterian Church.
Services Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 8:00. J. D. White, pastor.
Sunday School at 9:45. Orville Speed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

First Baptist Church.
No pastor at present. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Sunday school 9:45 a. m., W. U. Duncan, superintendent. B. Y. P. U. Sunday afternoon at 6:30.

Christian Church.
Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. C. E. Smoot, pastor.
Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent.
Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. U. M. first Thursday in each month. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00.
The Christian Endeavor Society meets at 2 p. m.

First Methodist Church.
Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor.
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. T. F. Pierce, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 7:00. Intermediate and Junior Leagues meet Sunday afternoon. Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, except 3rd Monday. Foreign Mission Society meets every 3rd Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Teachers meeting every Tuesday evening at 8:00.

North Ada Baptist Church.
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45. A. N. Harrison, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Ladies Aid Society meets every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

FRISCO.

Eastbound.

No. 508 due 9:15 a. m.
No. 510 due 9:10 p. m.
Westbound.
No. 509 due 9:10 a. m.
No. 507 due 9:00 p. m.

M. K. & T.

Southbound.

No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.
Northbound.
No. 112 due 4:05 p. m.

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.

Westbound.

No. 3 due 10:32 a. m.
Eastbound.
No. 2 due 4:07 p. m.

LODGE DIRECTORY.

W. O. W.

Ada Camp, No. 565, Woodmen of the World, meets every 1st and 3rd Monday nights at 1. O. O. F. hall. Visiting Woodmen are always welcome.

Ada Arlio, No. 3740.
Meets every Wednesday evening in hall on South Townsend.

I. O. O. F.

Ada lodge No. 32, I. O. F. meets every Thursday evening. A. T. Deaton, N. G. C. Chauncey, secretary.

Ada Rebekah Lodge No. 116.
Meets first, third and fifth Saturday nights of each month. Noble Grand, Mrs. C. M. Chauncey; Secretary, Mrs. Olive Baker.

Bees Laxative Cough Syrup is guaranteed. This is because we know what it will do and want to convince you. It is especially recommended for children as it is pleasant to take and is gently laxative. For coughs, colds, croup, hoarseness, whooping cough. Price 25c and \$1.00. For sale by Gwin Co.

"Dixie and Columbia"

AIR DOME OPERA HOUSE,
THURS. April 22

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HOME TALENT OF 200 PEOPLE

Leading Cast of the Spectacular

Indian Chief—Mr. Sam McClure.
Medicine Man—Scouts—Sugg and others.
Columbus—Prof. Perkins.
Priest—Mr. J. C. Cates.
Male Quartette.
Indian Girls and Boys in Drill and Pow-Pow.
Queen of Spaul—Mrs. Hope and Court Ladies.
King Ferdinand—Lawyer King.
Geo. Washington—Judge Galbraith.
Martha—Mrs. Duncan.
Wm. Penn—Mr. McKeown.
Queen of City—Miss Wilson.
Dixie—Mrs. J. D. A. Harris.
Uncle Sam—Mr. Geo. Cox.
Columbia—Miss Thompson.
Cuba —
Dixie Doodle—Pauline Jones.
Electricity—Leon Speed.
Oklahoma—Mrs. Perkins.
Cupid—

Assisted by leading business firms of city, 50 Parties, 40 Brownies, 13 Indians, 8 in party of Columbus landing. Wm. Penn and Puritans, 20; Caisene Class 20, Newsboys 13, Floral Drill 24, 30 Leading Characters, Soldiers in Gray and Blue, Drill by Ladies of W. O. W., Solos and Choruses, Drills, Takuleau, with angels. Pantomimes in front with full Orchestra. This is a beautiful entertainment of high grade, every one should come out to see and help the cause as it is a worthy one.

Air Dome
Opera House
April 22